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GREAT MEETING HELD IN TORONTO

Opposition Leader Welcomed
By Multitude in Ontario
Capital

HON. MR. BOWSER'S SPEECH

Candidates Selected in Various
Districts of the Eastern
Provinces

Toronto, Sept. 24.—Massey hall was
crammed and Victoria hall, hurriedly
hired, failed to accommodate the over-
flow of last night's meeting. R. L.
Borden surprised his associates by
the vigor of his speech. He defended
Hon. Geo. E. Foster, who was bit-
terly attacked by the Globe, and both
Mr. Borden and Mr. Roblin scathingly
denounced the reverend editor of that
paper. Mr. Borden gave assurance of
his sympathy with the movement for
electoral purity, and declared himself
ready to accept the suggestions ad-
vanced in letters to himself and Sir
Wilfred Laurier from Rev. Dr.
Chown. The writer states that he is
promoting a campaign for political
purity, and that the work will be for-
warded if Mr. Borden and the premier
will in common issue a statement
asking their adherents to carry on a
clean, manly struggle. (Applause.)

Hon. Mr. Bowser of British Colum-
bia had a hearty welcome and spoke
on the Japanese question. Mr. Bowser
discussed the attempt of Sir Wilfred
Laurier to induce the British Colum-
bia government to release its control
of the townsite of Prince Rupert to
the G. T. P. and of the opposition of
the provincial government, which
saved the province property, that is
worth today \$5,000,000. He pleaded
the audience before describing the out-
fitting of the icebreaker Montcalm, and
then referred to the prosecution of
McGregory by the Conservative govern-
ment, contrasting the methods of
Sir John Thompson with those of the
present government. "It was a singu-
lar coincidence that for nine years
there was no thought of assenting to
the Jap treaty, but in 1903, when the
government had made a bargain with
its own creature, the G. T. P., the
doors were thrown open for the im-
portation of labor."

Sir Wilfred's Tour

Clinton, Ont., Sept. 24.—Sir Wilfred
Laurier added to his big meeting here
yesterday. Excursions were run from
all points, and the town was gaily
decorated.

Nominations

Kingston, Ont., Sept. 24.—William
Harty has reconsidered his decision
not to stand again for the Commons
at Kingston. He has forwarded a
letter of acceptance to the local Lib-
eral association.

Simcoe, Ont., Sept. 24.—North-
west Liberals today nominated H.
B. Donley, editor of the Simcoe Re-
former, for the Commons.

Montreal, Sept. 24.—Portneuf Con-
servatives nominated Leonard Ebert,
and Montmagny Conservatives select-
ed H. Price as their candidate. Wm.
Power was nominated by Quebec
West Liberals. Other nominations are:
Brome, Hon. S. Fisher, Liberal;
Parthenon, T. Rinfret, Liberal; Cape
Breton, A. Johnston, Liberal; Jacques
Cartier, F. D. Monk, Conservative;
Charlevoix, Hon. R. Lemieux, Liberal;
Lotbiniere, L. P. Pelletier, Conserva-
tive.

Grand Trunk Earnings.

Montreal, Sept. 24.—Grand Trunk
traffic earnings for the third week of
September decreased by \$89,748, the
figures being: 1908, \$854,563; 1907,
\$954,311.

Promotion for Mr. Foelker

New York, Sept. 24.—Otto G. Foel-
ker, a member of the present state
senate, whose spectacular journey
from a sick bed to Albany, where he
cast the decisive vote that resulted in
the state senate, was nominated by
the Republicans of the third New
York district last night to succeed
Congressman Chas. T. Dunwell. The
district is strongly Republican.

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C.P.R. Earnings Increased
Montreal, Sept. 24.—The earnings of
the Canadian Pacific railway for the
third week of September increased
\$45,000.

Three Years for Padding Payrolls.
Montreal, Sept. 24.—August Charest,
road foreman, who stole between
\$1,400 and \$1,500 from the corpora-
tion of Montreal by padding the rolls,
was sentenced today to three years
in the penitentiary.

Calgary Clearings Increase
Calgary, Sept. 24.—Bank clearings
for the week again show an increase
over last year, and this week a very
substantial one, in excess of \$289,000.
The figures are: This year \$1,463,984;
last year, \$1,182,933.

Families from Holland

Calgary, Sept. 24.—Three families
of Hollanders, numbering 19 persons,
arrived in the city yesterday. They
went north to Strathmore in the
afternoon, and will settle on land in
the Canadian Pacific irrigation block
near there.

Incendiarism at Regina

Regina, Sask., Sept. 24.—Two fires
tonight under suspicious circumstances
lead the authorities to believe that
the firebug is loose in the city. The first
fire was in a vacant house, started
from a bundle of rags. Within half
an hour after the first alarm a second
blaze was discovered in the mat-
tress factory of the McCarthy Supply
company. The building contained no
stove.

Canadian Order of Elks

Ottawa, Sept. 24.—The supreme
body of the Order of Elks has now
concluded its sittings, and the follow-
ing officers have been elected: Sup-
reme exalter ruler, D. A. Young,
Montreal; supreme esteemed lectur-
ing knight, G. W. Parson, Ottawa; es-
teemed loyal knight, W. F. Taylor,
Winnipeg; supreme secretary, J. J.
Mundie, Montreal; supreme treasurer,
J. P. Raven, Owen Sound; supreme
chaplain, W. S. Inglis, Brantford; su-
preme leading knight, D. W. Nichols,
Winnipeg; supreme squire, J. P. Tichnor,
Montreal; supreme watchman,
M. Laplante, Brantford; supreme
tyler, H. G. Halliwell, Edmonton, Alb.

AUSTRALIA TO HAVE NUCLEUS FOR FLEET

Admiralty Gives Approval to
the Commonwealth's Na-
val Scheme

Melbourne, Sept. 24.—The British
admiralty has given its general ap-
proval to the scheme of the Australian
commonwealth for the formation of a
fleet of six torpedo boat destroyers,
nine submarines and two depot ships
as the nucleus of an Australian navy.

The idea of building up a local navy
in lieu of the customary annual con-
tribution to the imperial forces was
given a great impetus by the recent
visit of the American battleship fleet,
and it is believed that parliament will
vote readily the \$2,500,000 required for
the construction of the suggested
fleet.

The officers and men will total 1,200
and will be provided by the imperial
navy, but will be paid by the Common-
wealth, which will retain administra-
tive control of the fleet.

LATE BISHOP CARMICHAEL

Many in Attendance at Funeral in
Montreal—Memorial Service By
Synod at Ottawa

Montreal, Sept. 24.—The funeral of
the late Bishop Carmichael this after-
noon was largely attended. The ser-
vice was held at the cathedral, which
was crowded. The service was under
the direction of Dean Evans, assisted
by Archbishop Norbert. The benedi-
ction was pronounced by Archbishop
Sweatman, of Toronto, and the com-
mittal prayer at the grave was said
by Archdeacon Ker. Thousands lined
the route of the procession. There were
remarkable demonstrations of grief by
the spectators.

Ottawa, Sept. 24.—The interior of
Christ church cathedral was decked
with purple when over two hundred
lay and clergy delegates met this after-
noon and held solemn service in mem-
ory of the late Bishop Carmichael, of
Montreal. The Archbishop of Rupert's
land, the Bishop of Calgary, the Bishop
of Ottawa and the archbishop, Dean
Farthing, took part in the service.

Child Fatally Scalded.

Orangeville, Ont., Sept. 24.—The
two-year-old daughter of Wm. Day,
of West Luther, was scalded to death
by falling into a boiler of scalding water
which was left on the floor by her
mother.

Press Convention

Nelson, Sept. 24.—The fifth annual
convention of the eastern British Col-
umbia and Alberta press associations
opened here today, thirty members
being present. T. B. Thomas of the
Camrose, Alberta Mail, was elected
president, and D. H. Elton, Leithbridge
Herald, secretary. The convention
meets next year at Edmonton in Au-
gust. The members will pay a visit
to the power plants of the city of
Nelson and of the West Kootenay
Power company in the morning, re-
turning to their homes in the evening.

Mr. Wales' Suit

Binghamton, N. Y., Sept. 24.—At-
torney A. Wales of this city made a
motion before Justice George F. Lyon
in the supreme court today, substi-
tuting the name of Thomas L. Lewis
for that of John Mitchell, as presi-
dent of the Mine Workers' union. Mr.
Wales was suing Mr. Mitchell as
president of the union to recover
\$100,000 for services rendered in set-
tling the 1903 coal strike, claiming to
have devised the arbitration plan
adopted by President Roosevelt. The
motion was opposed by State Senator
Harvey D. Hinkman and John Irving,
attorneys for Mr. Mitchell. A deci-
sion will be handed down later.

CHARGES MADE BY MR. GOMPERS

Accuses President Van Cleave
of Endeavoring to Buy
Him Over

BRANDENBURG STORY AGAIN

Approached Federation Leader
as Presumed Agent of
Manufacturers

Washington, Sept. 24.—Testifying
in the proceedings against himself
and other labor union officials on the
charge of contempt in violating the
injunction decree of the district of
Columbia court, Samuel Gompers,
president of the American Federation
of Labor, today made serious charges
against W. Van Cleave, president of
the National Association of Manufac-
turers.

Mr. Gompers declared that Mr. Van
Cleave had had Mr. Gompers and other
federation officials shadowed by de-
tectives, and that he had undertaken to
have Mr. Gompers bribed to desert the
cause of organized labor and join its
enemy. Mr. Gompers' testimony in
effect was that former Secretary Taft
had supplied the sentiment behind the
injunction decree which had directed
the labor officials not to publish the
Buck Stove and Range Co. as unfair.
After Gompers asked Mr. Gom-
pers whether there had been any gen-
eral effort to break down organized
labor, and he replied: "Men have
been suborned to spy on their fellow
laborers in shops, factories and mines,
to report the proceedings in union
meetings, to spy on the personal con-
duct of workmen after working hours
and to follow from place to place
labor leaders visiting other cities than
their homes. Money has also been
used to bribe representatives of labor
men to cease their connection with
labor organizations and direct their
activities on the National Manufac-
turers' Association. They have not only
been offered bribes in money, but have
been offered substantial safeguards
for the future."

After giving details of his pursuit
by detectives, Mr. Gompers then told
of being approached in New York by
a man named Broughton Brandenburg
of New York, who, he said, had
attempted in 1907 to bribe him in the
interests of Van Cleave. He stated
that Brandenburg came to him and
called his attention to the fact that
he had met him at various meetings.
"He said," Mr. Gompers continued,
"that he was friendly to me, and
thought Mr. Van Cleave and myself
should have a better understanding.
I suggested to him that I would meet
between us and to establish more
agreeable relations."

Mr. Gompers stated that he told
Brandenburg that he would be glad
to meet Mr. Van Cleave, as it had al-
ways been his policy to encourage
friendly relations in matters in-
volving labor disputes.

Later Mr. Gompers said that after
some preliminary talk between him-
self and Brandenburg the latter dis-
closed to him his purpose, saying that
he knew it to be to the interest of
Mr. Van Cleave to destroy his Gom-
pers' character, but that he (Brand-
enburg) told Van Cleave that it
would be better in the interest of Van
Cleave's purpose to make an ally of
Gompers, but to prevail upon him to
betray the secrets of the Federation
of Labor. "Revealing in matters in-
volving labor disputes."

"I told him that I would con-
sider the proposition," continued
Mr. Gompers—"I did not reject it
because I wanted him to continue un-
der the belief that I might accept. Of
course, I was just as strongly minded
then as I am now, and always have
been, to be true to myself, my conse-
cience and to my fellow man."

Mr. Davenport characterized this
narration as a "scandalous matter."
In response, Mr. Gompers declared
that in this story he showed the hy-
pothesis of the entire proceedings against
him and the Federation officials. At-
torney Davenport gave notice of a
motion to strike all of this matter out
of the record as not only irrelevant but
scandalous. As going to show the
impossibility of the story, he called at-
tention to the fact that Mr. Gompers
had said nothing about these circum-
stances while on the stand in the in-
junction proceedings, and that Mr. Van
Cleave had denied all knowledge of
them.

Mr. Van Cleave's Denial

St. Louis, Sept. 24.—J. W. Van
Cleave, president of the National As-
sociation of Manufacturers, is not in
the city, but Mr. Van Cleave's office
secretary, F. F. Schwedman, said: "I
can say with full authority that the
charges made in the Gompers' testi-
mony are absolutely false. He depos-
ed that unscrupulous men have ap-
proached him under the pretence of
being representatives of Mr. Van
Cleave, but for such men, if such they
be, Mr. Van Cleave is in no manner
responsible."

Cigar Firm Fails.

Toronto, Sept. 24.—The W. B. Reid
Co., Ltd., cigar manufacturer, has as-
signed. Liabilities \$18,500; assets
\$16,500.

Committed for Trial
Belleville, Ont., Sept. 24.—Thomas
Smart, charged with the murder of
his step-grandfather, James Sero, was
committed today for trial.

Toronto's Street Railway Earnings
Toronto, Sept. 24.—For the year end-
ing August 31, the city received from
the Toronto street railway \$522,300 as
its share of the company's earnings.

Rain at Niagara

St. Catharines, Ont., Sept. 24.—The
drought in the Niagara fruit district
was broken this morning by heavy
showers, the first rain since August
17th.

St. Lawrence Clear Again

Montreal, Sept. 24.—Ocean and river
navigation resumed their normal con-
ditions in and out of Montreal today,
the fog and smoke which have hung
over the harbor for the past two or
three days having lifted.

Killed by a Train.

St. Thomas, Ont., Sept. 24.—Thomas
Shea, a middle-aged man employed in
the store department of the Michigan
Central railway, was knocked down
and killed by a passenger train while
walking through the yards this morn-
ing.

Watching for Cholera

New York, Sept. 24.—Taking no
chances in view of the cholera situa-
tion in Russia, Health Officer Doty
and his staff promptly set to work this
afternoon to take the temperature of
all the cabin and steerage passengers
and crew of the Russian steamer Ko-
ren, which arrived today direct from
Libau.

Trades and Labor Congress.

Halifax, Sept. 24.—Ald. Hahn,
of Berlin, Ont., has been elected pres-
ident of the Dominion Trades and La-
bor Congress. This morning's session
of the congress was taken up with the
discussion of the organizers' reports
and the Lemieux act. The latter came
up in form of a resolution asking for
its repeal. Solicitor O'Donoghue
spoke in favor of the act, but said
amendments might be desirable. The
discussion was still on at the time of
adjournment.

MURDEROUS ATTACK MADE BY STRIKERS

Richard Brown, of Winnipeg,
Likely to Die From Inj-
uries Inflicted

Winnipeg, Sept. 24.—A gang of
about fifty strikers this afternoon at-
tacked C. P. R. employees who were
repairing a derailed engine just across
the Louise bridge on the St. Boniface
side.

Most of the strike-breakers fled but
Richard Brown, of Winnipeg, stood his
ground, and was fearfully man-handled
by the strikers, some of whom were
foreigners and others English speak-
ing. He now lies in the hospital in a
critical condition, a broken leg being
among his injuries, besides numerous
cuts and bruises. The strikers left
him for dead.

A strong force of police was rushed
to the scene from the depot, and sev-
eral arrests were made. Another em-
ployee was badly but not dangerously
injured.

HALIFAX INCENDIARY

Attempt to Destroy Residence of Chief
Justice Townsend Comes Near
Succeeding

Halifax, Sept. 24.—An attempt was
made this morning to destroy Chief
Justice Townsend's residence while the
house was unoccupied, and the Chief
Justice away on circuit at Kentville.
The firebug is believed to have been a
former convict. The damage by the
fire is about \$500.

ALBERTA CROPS

Farmers Get Satisfactory Return for
Their Season's Work—Rush to
Sell Wheat

Crossfield, Alta., Sept. 24.—Harvest-
ing is practically over. Wheat is aver-
aging from 30 to 40 bushels to the
acre, and weighing 62 to 65 pounds
to the bushel. Oats have been averag-
ing from fifty to sixty bushels to the
acre and weighing from forty to forty-
four pounds to the bushel. One field
of wheat two miles east of Cross-
field threshed 64 bushels to the acre.
Nine cars of wheat, totalling 9,750
bushels, were shipped last week. These
cars graded No. 2 and No. 3.

High River, Alta., Sept. 24.—Glow-
ing reports of the winter wheat crop
continue to come in. The yield is con-
sistently running over 30 bushels to
the acre and grading from No. 3 up.
The oat crop is now all cut and
stacked. While none of it had been
threshed so far, appearances indicate
that it will be about 75 bushels to
the acre, with a fine quality of grain.
Barley is all cut and ready for thresh-
ing, and will yield about 35 to 40
bushels per acre. Spring wheat is all
cut and stacked. Farmers predict that
it will run about 35 to 40 bushels per
acre.

Granum, Alta., Sept. 24.—With the
exception of light showers, which de-
layed threshing one day, the weather
during the week has been very favor-
able. Wheat has been moving very
briskly, and both elevators here are
practically full. It is estimated by the
elevator man, Mr. Coy, that it will take
at least 800 cars to handle this year's
crop. All the farmers appear anxious
to sell at once, while present prices
prevail. The C.P.R. order book now
contains 153 orders for cars.

Montreal Clearings.

Montreal, Sept. 24.—Montreal bank
clearings for the week totalled \$30,-
733,874, as against \$30,361,131 for the
same week a year ago and \$27,435,659
for 1906.

RECORD CROWD AT EXHIBITION

Thousands Thronged the Fair
Grounds Yesterday Morn-
ing and Afternoon

THE JUDGING IS COMPLETE

Successful Flight of Aeronaut
—Today's Attractions
Outlined

In point of attendance, Thursday was
a red letter day at the Victoria Ex-
hibition. Up to 6 o'clock last night
about 1,400 people had paid admission,
which is far in excess of the total es-
tablished on the same day last year.
In all other respects the programme
was a success. The weather could not
have been more favorable, the crowds
entered into the spirit of the occasion
with striking abandon, the different
attractions of the programme were
carried through in regular order and
without a hitch, and the proceedings
were orderly throughout.

Citizens' Day Programme

The complete programme for today
follows:
8 a. m.—Gates open.
10 a. m.—Stock judging completed.
1 p. m.—Balloon ascension and pa-
radute drop.

1:15 p. m.—Parade of prize winning
live stock.
1:45 p. m.—Exhibition of fancy shoot-
ing by W. H. Hills, of the Remington
Arms Company.

2 p. m.—Horse races and band selec-
tions by Wagner's band of Seattle.
3:30 p. m.—Grand Roman hippo-
drome and chariot races; the neighborhood
horses; riders dressed in Roman cos-
tumes.

4:45 p. m.—The great guileless pacer
holding the world's record of 2:00 for
guileless paces, College Maid, will
give an exhibition mile.

Race Programme

2:20 trot and 2:25 pace. Purse \$400,
Best 3 in 5.

The Mayor's Purse, 3/4-mile, for 3-
year-olds up and all, to carry 105 lbs.;
winner to be sold for \$300.

Tourists' Purse, 1/2-mile, 3/4-mile.
The Empress Purse, selling, 1/2-mile;
1 mile; winner to be sold for \$700; 3 lbs.
allowed for each \$100 down to \$200.

The A. B. C. Challenge Cup and
purse, \$200; 1 mile; for British Colum-
bia horse boys, the A. B. C. Chal-
lenge Cup is presented by the Ameri-
can Brevling Company, through their
agents, Messrs. Turner, Beeton & Co.,
Victoria, B. C., and to be won three
times by the same horse or the same
owner. Won for the first time in 1907
by C. H. Miller, of Seattle.

Trot or pace for two-year-olds, foal-
ed in British Columbia; 1/4-mile heats,
best 2 in 3; hobbles barred, purse \$100.

Horse Fair at 8 p. m.

Musical programme, Wagner's band
of Seattle.

8:00—Single horses in heavy har-
ness.

2:20—Single draught horses (under
1,600 lbs.).

8:30—Combination horses.

8:50—Pairs Shetland ponies.

9:00—Runabouts.

9:15—Single pacing horses.

9:25—Ladies' saddle horses.

9:35—Three-horse team.

9:40—Tandems.

COAL COKE

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We deliver it free to any address within city limits. Only \$4.00 if you send for it.

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BROUGHTON STREET

RECORD CROWD AT EXHIBITION

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The Judge of the fruit, J. Shepherd, of his praise. Summing up their impressions, the consensus of opinion is that the present exhibition is among the finest ever held in the north Pacific.

Novel Contest

Only one event in connection with judging remains, and that, it is believed, will be one of the most interesting. It is the competition among young horse fanciers. The stock will be brought before those who have entered and they will be required to express an opinion of the respective merits of the entrants. The regulation officials will decide which of the novices acquires himself in the most creditable manner. To that individual the association management is offering a handsome prize which will be awarded immediately after a decision is reached.

Balloon Ascension.

Apart from the horse races the event of the afternoon was the third flight of the aeronaut, Prof. Sylvan. Before the balloon was set free the operator was shackled, hand and foot, and securely nailed in a box, the latter having been made by D. Spencer Ltd. He had ascended about five hundred feet before he managed to disengage himself and it is estimated that he had gone four thousand feet when a small parachute was let drop with the box and the iron, which had bound him. Meanwhile the balloon had drifted directly over the grand stand. It was when in this position that the professor cut loose and began the sail down on his parachute. He alighted on the west side of the exhibition grounds, and a few minutes later appeared before the crowd and bowed his acknowledgments to the enthusiastic throng.

Today the aeronaut will make another ascension under much the same conditions. He will make the flight shortly after 3 o'clock, providing, of course, the wind is not blowing at a rate of over eight miles an hour.

The hippodrome races, which were brought off during the course of the regular meet events, again elicited applause. The bare-back riding and the contests in chariots were generally considered one of the most attractive features and the intrepid riders and drivers were the recipients of sustained ovations following each performance.

Fancy Shooting.

The exhibition of fancy shooting by W. H. Hillis, of the Remington Arms company, was watched with closest attention by those acquainted with the difficulty of mastering both shot gun and rifle marksmanship. Mr. Hillis first gave a demonstration of shot gun firing, breaking two out of three birds, thrown from the hand, at every attempt. With a 22 he cracked a marble, less than double the size of the bullet, while it was dropping to the ground. With a high power cartridge he found the centre of a half-inch plate of steel, also, throwing the latter some distance into the air. Hillis will give another demonstration of his own ability and of the serviceable character of Remington arms this afternoon.

David Spencer

Possibly one of the finest exhibits to be found in the building is that representing Victoria's large departmental store, D. Spencer & Sons. The majority, it is safe to say, if asked for an expression of opinion, would make the foregoing statement without qualification. Certainly it is the largest and the most complete and, for that reason, it would be invidious to draw comparisons because while other illustrative of only one class of requisite in household furnishings, Spencer's includes all, the display being a picture in miniature of a beautifully equipped cottage.

In walking from the main entrance to the south along one of the principal aisles, the visitors catch their first glimpse of the Spencer display. They are confronted with a series of apartments the facings of which are in white, solid pillars of that color marking the wall separating each room. At the outset there are introduced the kitchen—a perfect picture of cleanliness, possessing all modern conveniences as well as the ordinary necessities—in short just the sort of a kitchen that would delight the heart of the average housekeeper. From this apartment it is but a step to the dining room. Once again the spectator is impressed by the tasteful arrangement of the different articles. It is not overdone, but the different shades of red blend so well and the various pieces, all of mahogany, simply breathe refinement. It is the one of the best of the series and the visitor passes on to the next anticipating, after what has been seen, another evidence of splendor and, withal, of luxurious comfort. There is no disappointment in store. The drawing room is just what it should be. In this instance the furnishings are of a delicate white, the predominating tone of red being maintained. The sleeping rooms are "real cute," to use the involuntary exclamation which springs from the lips of one of a group of ladies in attendance. But that can scarcely be accepted as an index to their appearance. They are more than "cute." They would be a delight to one of the most pronounced aesthetic tastes. Nothing is wanting. Bedsteads are their most striking feature. Of massive brass, finished in both the bright and dull fashion, they attract and hold the attention.

"That's just the way I'm going to have my home furnished," was the unconscious tribute of one who had closely inspected the exhibit. "I don't think it could be improved in," she continued. That was the consensus of opinion as far as could be gathered, and all who were heard to comment were unanimous in the view that it was superlatively commendable when the comparatively small space utilized was given consideration.

Weiler Bros.

Weiler Bros., rated as one of the largest furnishing establishments on the Pacific coast, also is in evidence. Their exhibit occupies a place just opposite that of Fletcher Bros., and in extent takes up the whole of one inside corner. Here is to be found a not pour of many things which are a delight to the hearts of the housekeeper. While an attempt has been made to give the public, through the medium of the display, an insight into the large and handsome stock which this establishment always has on hand, the accommodation available rendered it futile. But the choicest furniture, in the line of carpets, small rugs, easy chairs, etc., has been placed to advantage. The crowd in its pilgrimage throughout the building never fails to stop for a short space when reaching this point, and the comments heard on all hands indicate nothing but the highest appreciation.

B. Williams & Co.

One of the first displays which attract attention on entering the main hall is that of B. Williams & Company. Two or three show cases with a background of becoming hunting arouse the curiosity as well as the ad-

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miration of the sightseer and immediately there is a desire to ascertain what they contain. To the gentleman the examination is profitable and pleasurable. Here is found the majority of those articles of clothing which, combined, go to make the properly-dressed man. A special effort has been made to illustrate, by showing the finished garments and the methods pursued in obtaining a perfect and durable system on which the ready-made suits are built to the size of any individual, be he tall or short, thin or the proud possessor of an embonpoint developed beyond the average. The exhibit throughout is gotten up in a tasty manner, as stated. It commands attention, not because of any flashy characteristics, but on account of its neatness and the evidence of good taste in the general arrangement.

E. G. Prior & Co.

In the machinery building is the E. G. Prior & Co. exhibit. It is most comprehensive, including carriages of all modern types, and machinery, principally that utilized by agriculturists in tilling the land and in harvesting, just as varied in appearance and usefulness. To horsemen the many hand-carried vehicles displayed are most interesting. Each day the crowd gathers about to inspect and their comments on what takes their respective fancy are, to say the least, expressive. Such exclamations as "that's a beauty" are common. The machinery, however, comes in for closer examination. In most instances those who want to know the fine points of the different pieces on exhibition know something of what they are talking about and are anxious to obtain a line on what is newest and the advantages of the modern over the old types of farming implements. The expert in attendance is always on hand to give the information demanded and the majority are enlightened and with a firm impression that much is to be gained by keeping up-to-date.

Fletcher Bros.

Fletcher Bros.' musical establishment is one of the most prominent exhibits of that class at the fair. It is situated on the right of the south entrance to the hall. The arrangement throughout is commendable. The display stands on a raised platform and consists, principally, of a number of large Heintzman and Mendelssohn pianos. Here there is always a crowd of people, and the proprietor is ready to extend a welcoming hand and to answer any questions which may be directed at him. Yesterday they were busy distributing sheets of the latest music and, on that account, they were exceptionally popular. The drawing card, however, is the concert rendered by Mrs. Edmunds, of Seattle, during both the afternoon and evening. The possessor of a beautiful soprano voice, she charms her audience with each rendition, there being few occasions when an encore is not insistently demanded.

B. C. Saddlery

To horsemen the display of the B. C. Saddlery immediately attracts attention. The space devoted to it is not large, but those responsible for the placing of the goods have used admirable judgment. Directly in the centre stands a splendid model of a riding horse in decked with the ordinary trappings, the nickel parts of which shine with a resplendency which is the outcome of assiduous polishing. On either side there are saddles of different types, while along the walls is found all kinds of harness. There is a little decoration in connection with the display and its absence does not detract from the general effect. In fact, after viewing it for some minutes, the impression is that little or nothing could be added to make it more striking.

Colonist Printing and Publishing Co. A businesslike exhibit is that of the Colonist Printing and Publishing company, which confronts the throng as they enter the building from the south entrance. It occupies a corner and usually is one of the first points at which the crowds gather. Along the walls are specimens of cuts, the work of the new engraving plant which has but recently been installed. The pictures show up in their printed state practically as well as the original photograph, a fact which has excited considerable favorable comment. On the floor is a small press, while near at hand is a case of up-to-date type. Throughout the day two printers are in attendance and they are kept busy filling the orders of those who are desirous of having calling cards printed while they wait. The exhibit is generally deemed a clever illustration of the various departments of Victoria's largest publishing house.

Hicks & Lovick

The agents for the Mason & Risch piano—Hicks & Lovick—have taken advantage of the exhibition to give the music loving public an insight into the beauty of the instrument mentioned. They have placed a large assortment on view and those who have taken the trouble to inquire have been informed of its many virtues. Pianolas, too, are prominent. They are of the most modern type and the demonstration given of their interpretations of classic and modern selections are listened to with close attention by many. As a whole the display is exceedingly handsome. The pianos are set off by some decorative work, and the character, the whole presenting an appearance altogether attractive.

B. C. Hardware Co.

At the B. C. hardware stand, which occupies an exceptionally large space fronting the main entrance, a special feature is made of the Lorain cooking range and the DeLaval cream separator. Appealing to the housekeeper and the farmer as well as the trades do, the exhibit is a centre of gravitation—throngs gathering about the proprietor of the store mentioned while he gives practical demonstrations of the advantages of the Lorain stove or of the separator. Always willing to answer questions, he has been kept engaged from early morning until late at night. The points of the stove have been gone into repeatedly. It has been shown that the temperature of the oven of that range can be regulated to a nicety, thus permitting the baking of any of the dainty dishes in which women

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A huge block of coal graces the stand occupied by the Victoria Fuel company. As an exhibit it is most interesting and as an advertisement it is one of the most effective. It typifies the business in which the concern is engaged and it shows that they have at their command the best fuel, for the coal shown is the finest to be procured for domestic purposes. And to those fond of taking a chance, it is specially attracted on account of the fact that the proprietors are offering a prize to the individual who makes the closest guess as to the weight of the block. Every day hundreds make an estimate and submit the result in figures with their names. The name of the winner will be made known at the conclusion of the fair.

Morena Cigar Co.

The Morena Cigar company is a firm newly established in Victoria and, if their display at the present exhibition can be accepted as a criterion, they are exceptionally enterprising. Two men are in attendance at their booth from the time the gates are opened in the forenoon until late at night. They have behind them a large supply of raw tobacco and before the eyes of the public the Morena cigar is skillfully manufactured. Boxes of the completed article are ranged along shelves to the rear.

Victoria Glass Works

It is a pretty exhibit which the Victoria Glass works has arranged for this year's fair. Occupying a large space it has been possible to erect a huge planed wall of glass of varied color. In the evening this shows up splendidly the rays from the electric lights being reflected in all the hues of the rainbow.

Moore and Whittington

Moore and Whittington have one of the conspicuous exhibits at the fair. It is a large double booth flanked with pillars turned at their mill, and well stocked with typical products, showing what can be done with the skillful use of wood. There was some good carving and scroll work as well as a number of mantels and art doors. One of the former, which attracted a good deal of attention, had a large panel made of a fir knot. There was a similar panel displayed on the counter, and it was a revelation to many what a beautiful grain and unusual effect can be thus obtained. The untrained eye would certainly take it for some rare wood now introduced for the first time.

An enormous section of fir log is one of the attractions, and the public is invited to guess its weight. Three handsome prizes are offered for the three who come nearest to it, and thousands of guesses are being made. The display is not without its humorous features. There is a large kennel, at the door of which stands the most forbidding of bulldogs, excellently carved in wood, with the motto, "Beware of the Dog." The stall is set about with photographs of some of the numerous attractive homes the firm has built in Victoria, which were examined yesterday with interest by the passersby.

Brackman-Ker

Brackman-Ker, as might be expected, have a fine stall. It is prettily decorated, the walls being draped with white and green cheesecloth, with broad longitudinal stripes, while at the back and in the middle is an immense pyramid of sacks. Some are of rolled oats, others of cornmeal, others of flour and so on through the list of cereals that have made the name of Brackman and Ker famous throughout the northwest.

The front of the booth is picked out with a golden fringe of oaten ears, while on the counters were displayed a number of gargantuan vegetables grown by Mrs. Rudd, of Oak Bay from Sutton's seeds, the famous old country firm, for which Brackman and Ker are the Pacific Columbia agents. At the side of the booth was another pyramid of boxes of Wheat Flakes.

Baxter and Johnson

Baxter and Johnson are well to the fore as usual with a very complete line. They have several Underwood typewriters as well as a number of adding machines such as are used in banks. At the back are a number of cash registers and in the centre a handsome Stinson weighing machine which tells at a glance the price per pound of the article sold. A sign announced that Baxter and Johnson are purveyors of unbreakable steel furniture.

Watson and McGregor

Watson and McGregor have a fine showing of ranges, the two chief kinds being Round Oak and malleable ranges. They also have a number of heaters, including the open Franklin heater, as well as some portable oil stoves. Some of the firm were in attendance ready to give any information that might be required about the highly polished goods on exhibit. There is quite a selection for anyone with a house to heat.

Mount Royal Milling Company

The Mount Royal Milling and Manufacturing company has an interesting display, and few would believe that there were so many kinds of rice, the average male being under the impression that there is just rice. However, this is not so. There is Siamese rice, Chinese rice, Japanese rice and other kinds, all of which the Mount Royal people show. Then there are several kinds of paddy which are milled into rice before it is prepared. Then they have ground rice, and granulated rice, rice meal and chit rice, the latter being used for chicken food.

A. and W. Wilson

A. and W. Wilson have a good line of the famous Monarch ranges on show. They claim that the Monarch is the best ever and has beaten its competitors in open shows. This is an American product and the ranges are handsomely gotten up. The firm has also a number of heaters of different kinds on view.

Vancouver Milling Company

The Vancouver Milling company's booth was crowded yesterday with visitors who were tasting the refreshments handed out by two charming lady attendants clad in white. There was a fine exhibit of Royal Standard flour and bread and biscuits made therefrom by the ladies. The latter were served out gratis to the public with a cup of afternoon tea which was much appreciated.

W. A. Jameson

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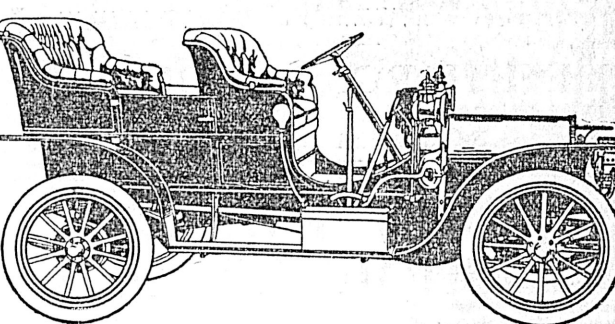


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was most tastefully decorated, and the numerous shelves lined with many brands of coffee, and samples of baking powder, spices and the like. The booth was crowded with people and encomiums on the coffee were freely passed by the crowd.

Central Bakery

A toothsome exhibit was that of the Central Bakery, which was enclosed in a tasteful glass case, in mute testimony to the confectioner's art. There were sugar-coated birthday cakes,

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FINANCIAL EXPERT RETURNS FROM NORTH

Mr. Moreton Frewen Discusses
Prince Rupert and Its
Prospects

Mr. Moreton Frewen, the well known British financial expert and apostle of bi-metalism, was in the city yesterday. He had just returned from Prince Rupert. Asked about his impressions of that coming city, he said: "Any visitor to Rupert will return much impressed. In some respects the arrival there of a great trunk system of railroads connecting with the local towns of lower Canada will be likely to start quite new currents of trade. The two points which struck me perhaps most are the surprising wealth of the ocean off the Queen Charlotte Islands and the extremely low grades by which the rail reaches that ocean. Acting together these two conditions if they stood alone, must make Rupert an important town. The figures of the cod and halibut fisheries are scarcely credible. A single ship with twelve dories has caught this season over a hundred tons of halibut in three days. Remember that these are fish of very high quality and that even now by way of Vancouver there is a large and growing market for them so far away as Paris. The mass of these fish and the salmon too which follow the schools of herrings in from the deep ocean will be distributed frozen and in carloads all over the middle west; the duty, a cent a pound, will not keep them out of Boston, St. Louis, Chicago. When you recall the wealth that an inferior fish, the cod, and a fish present probably in smaller numbers, bring to the New England towns, it is certain that with cheap Indian labor the development of Rupert as the fish capital of the Pacific will be striking."

"What about minerals?" was asked. "Oh, that is to some extent in the air. But coal at least is abundant three hundred miles inland, and everyone is talking of the precious metals in combination with lead and copper. A great deal is being claimed and apparently on good authority for the Yukon district. No doubt presently Rupert will be a smelting centre. But it is the railway grade that chiefly interests me. A single engine will haul a full load from the Great Lakes to the Pacific. With a maximum grade west of only 21 feet to the mile, will not much of the northwestern wheat trade go to Europe by way of Rupert when the Panama canal opens? That will avoid the long haul and the deep winter snows between the Saskatchewan and the Atlantic, or the long delays and the cost of storage in the elevators at the lake ports. A road that can distribute its loads impartially both east and west instead of pulling empty cars west and get grain out all through the winter months, is in a position of great economic advantage."

"What about the climate?" was the next query. "Well, it is very wet, no doubt, very wet, but probably for that reason wholesome. The rainfall reduces its attractions as a residential town no doubt. Its wealthy class will be likely to winter in this lovely island of yours. The town is 'dry,' and in consequence delightfully law abiding; as there is no drink, there is no gambling. And the workers have shaken down to it apparently, and now seem quite happy though 'dry.' One man, a carpenter, said to me 'what I should spend in drink will pay for a town lot in four years, and the advance in the value of that lot will at least double my wages.' Living there is going to be very cheap for the working classes; the several varieties of fish are priced very low, and by rail and water presently meat, vegetables and dairy produce will come in from the Bulkley Valley and from the islands to the westward."

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Mr. Frewen has gone to Seattle for a short visit, after which he will return to Victoria and will probably address the Canadian club while here.

Capt. Williams, of the British ship Wynnstag, which has arrived at Astoria from Valparaiso in ballast, reports encountering a hurricane when twenty-nine days out and all his sails were carried away. The vessel was on her beam ends for twelve consecutive hours, but no one on board was injured.

During the thunderstorm on Wednesday there was some excitement on board the British bark Lord Shaftsbury, which is lying at anchor at Esquimalt. Capt. Thomas stated yesterday that one of the lightning flashes struck the water within a very short distance of the vessel.

The steamer Vado, of the Boscowitz Steamship Company, was hauled out on the ways of the Victoria Machinery Depot yesterday for repairs. Survey showed three broken plates, a broken lifeboat, three davits bent and some

minor injuries had resulted from the collision with the steamer Amur off Trivet Point, Rivers Inlet. R. M. S. Empress of Japan is due today from Hongkong and the usual ports of call in the Far East.

Seven Years for Theft
Quebec, Sept. 23.—Two Italians were sentenced to seven years each by Judge Chauveau. They pleaded guilty to the charge of robbery and asked for a speedy trial. At Harvey Junction they stole \$3500 from a merchant.

FOLLOWER OF RACES GETS THREE MONTHS

Johan Perich Sentenced to Im-
prisonment By Judge
Lampman

Johan Perich was sentenced to three months in jail yesterday for gambling on the Charmer last Sunday. Judge Lampman not taking kindly to Mr. Moresby's suggestion that he be let off on suspended sentence as he would forthwith leave the country.

"That is an idea that should not be allowed to get abroad," said his honor, "that people from the other side can come here and commit crimes and be let off on suspended sentence rather than go to the expense of keeping them in jail."

Perich is a race-track follower who came over to Victoria last Sunday on the Charmer, and, according to Provincial Constable Phipps, he immediately began looking for trouble in the way of gambling. He went through the ship with a pair of dice in his hand challenging all and sundry to shoot craps at 25 cents a throw. He soon got a game, and it was stated that the captain had broken up two games but was unable to catch them in the act as they stopped directly his uniform hove in sight.

Finally Constable Phipps, who happened to be on the Charmer, was asked by the captain to arrest Perich the next time he played. Accordingly he watched his opportunity and finally found him seated on the floor in a circle of others, with a game of craps in full swing. He gathered in Perich, at the same time confiscating a dollar and a quarter in cash that was in front of him, as well as the dice that taken up to the captain's room and placed under arrest. He immediately began to ask to be let off, whereupon he was warned not to say anything, as otherwise it would be used against him in his trial. However, he admitted that the dice taken were his, and said that he was not shooting himself, but was getting a rakeoff of 25 cents every two passes for looking after the game. After a long legal argument, however, Wm. C. Moresby succeeded in getting this statement ruled out on the ground that it had been extorted by improper questions on the part of the constable.

Some crooked dice found on the accused were also produced and put in evidence after strenuous objection from his counsel. Phipps described the game of craps and showed that these dice were so marked that a man shooting with them could not possibly lose. There was nothing to show, however, that these dice had actually been used by the prisoner. With these dice it was impossible to throw either two, three, seven or twelve.

No evidence was adduced by the defense, but Mr. Moresby made a powerful plea for acquittal, or at worst, for a release on suspended sentence. He adverted to the youth of Perich, who, he stated, was only 18 years of age, and pointed out that if released he would go back to the states and not trouble Victoria again.

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At the residence of Mr. S. Cruikshank, 1036 Hillside Ave., of
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His honor, however, took a different view, and passed a sentence of three months.

When asked if he had anything to say, Perich remarked: "I never gambled, and did not think it was any harm for me. I didn't know it was serious over here."

Harold Robertson prosecuted for the crown.

HAD AN UNEVENTFUL PASSAGE FROM CALLAO

Belfast Will Load Lumber For a Re-
turn Voyage—Other Lumber
Carriers

The Chilian ship Belfast, the latest windjammer to come for a cargo of lumber, had an uneventful passage from Callao, which port she left on August 8. Capt. Young, who came ashore yesterday morning from his vessel, which is anchored in Royal Roads, said: "We had fine weather with southeast trades to 5 north, and after a few days of calm and changing winds, squally weather set in, followed by northeast trades to 30 north. Thence mostly northwest and north-northeast winds were had until the latitude of 38 was reached, where we rode under lower topsails in a heavy gale. Varying winds were experienced from that time until arrival. We saw three lumber schooners but did not speak any of them." The Belfast will load lumber at Hastings mills for the west coast of South America.

The American barkentine Klantani passed yesterday from Port Townsend to Chemalms to load lumber for Melbourne. The Ruth E. Godfrey and steamer Don of Ruthven are now loading at Hastings. The steamer will take 2,000,000 feet there.

SUIT FOR INSURANCE ON BLOCKADE RUNNER

Action Begun at San Francisco to Re-
cover on Policy on the Seized
M. S. Dollar

Suit to collect \$25,000 insurance on the steamer M. S. Dollar of Victoria, B. C., was filed in the United States district court at San Francisco yesterday by the M. S. Dollar Steamship company against the Maritime Insurance company, which wrote a policy for that amount on the vessel in December, 1904, just previous to the capture of the steamer by the Japanese and its condemnation and sale by the prize court. The insurance company contends that the steamship company purposely obscured the destination of the vessel at the time the policy was written, thus rendering the policy void. It is stated that the captain of the M. S. Dollar, at the time of her seizure, was supplied with duplicate clearance papers to show to either Japanese or Russian naval officers, one set showing his destination to be Vladivostok, his real objective point, and the other Moji, Japan.

OPPOSITION TO THE PROPOSED TREATY

Japanese Minister of Agriculture and
Commerce Opposes Scheme to
Have Japan Join Agreement

The work of Baron Komura, Japan's new foreign minister, in bringing his country into line with Great Britain, the United States and Russia in joint treaty for the preservation of the fur seals of the North Pacific ocean, is meeting with much opposition, according to advices received in yesterday's mails from Tokyo. When Baron Komura was on his way back from London to Japan via St. Petersburg, it is stated he practically pledged his country to join the convention with regard to Bering sea and the North Pacific ocean. On his arrival at Tokyo the new foreign minister proceeded to negotiate a treaty and opposition was at once apparent, which has now formulated itself strongly. Baron Omura, minister of agriculture and commerce, under which the operations of the sealing schooner owners come, who is a strong man, leads the opposition. The continual source of trouble due to the Japanese sealers' incursions on the regulations made under treaty by Britain, America and Russia, and the lawless actions of Japanese sealers abroad is, however, considered as far from beneficial to Japan and it is generally expected in Tokyo that the opposition of the departments of agriculture and commerce will overcome and that this will probably be the last season in which Japanese sealers may proceed to Bering sea to hunt with firearms within three miles of the islands, while Canadian hunters must use spears and remain sixty miles distant from the seal islands.

The fishery protection cruiser Kestrel is expected at Nanaimo today, and Rear-Admiral Kingsmill will be landed at the coal port, from where he will proceed to Alberni, overland. He will inspect the new trail on the west coast and will return thence to Victoria.



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THE FRUIT EXHIBIT

Mr. F. Shepherd of Salem, Oregon, who is the judge of fruit at the exhibition, declares that the display in this line is the best he has seen anywhere in the world. This is high praise. It is worth all that the exhibition has cost in time, work and money to win such an expression of opinion from so qualified a judge. No higher praise could be given. When a visitor looks at the display of fruit he is not surprised that Mr. Shepherd should have said what he did about it.

Every effort ought to be made to let the world know about our capabilities in the matter of fruit-growing. We are not now referring to what ought to be done for the province as a whole. The provincial government is attending to that part of the work and attending to it well. What we have in mind is the capabilities of the neighborhood of Victoria, for it was the fruit from this section which elicited the remarkable encomium from Mr. Shepherd. Scientific fruit-growing is a new thing on Vancouver Island. Every one has known that we could raise apples, pears, cherries and plums here, but it is only within recent years that the fruit industry has been handled in a business way. The result has already equalled the most sanguine expectations, and yet the work of improvement has only fairly begun. The acreage in fruit is increasing rapidly, but not as fast as the market. We have on former occasions spoken of the great area on the Saanich Peninsula that can be profitably used in this industry, and now that the fruit-growers have got together an exhibit which has been described as the finest in the world, we look forward more hopefully than ever to the time when the country for miles around Victoria will be little else than an unbroken series of fruit farms.

HISTORICAL PICTURES.

In the eastern provinces of Canada a great deal of attention is given to historic pictures. Upon the walls of the parliament buildings in New Brunswick for example, there are three life-sized oil paintings. One is of George III., one of Lord Glenelg and one of Lord Sheffield. The latter is by one of the greatest artists of the first half of the last century. It was found in an attic in the official residence of the Lieutenant Governor, where it had been used as a target for pistol practice by the sons of a former occupant of the gubernatorial office. It was repaired and is now one of the most cherished possessions of the province. Thousands of visitors inspect these portraits every year and they are the subject of the most favorable comments. Yet the connection of Lord Glenelg and Lord Sheffield with the history of the province is very slight. In British Columbia we have not paid very much attention to this sort of thing, although something has been done in the way of collecting historic photographs. It would be an excellent thing if the government could see its way clear to the adoption of a general plan whereby the features of men distinguished in our early history and the deeds of some of the discoverers of the Pacific Coast could be depicted on canvas and placed in our parliament buildings as an ornament and education, and an inspiration. Living in a country, that is in many respects yet in the rough, we have not had time to pay much attention to the aesthetic side of life, but we are much of the opinion that a beginning ought to be made. Victoria could gain an enviable reputation among the cities of the Coast if such a plan were adopted.

Many names are associated with the early history of the Pacific Coast and we would like to see them all commemorated in an appropriate way upon the walls of the parliament buildings. Balboa, the first European to catch sight of the Pacific; Cortez, the first white man to cross the Isthmus of Panama; De Fuca, whose ships were the first to enter the Straits; Magellan, who was first to make a voyage around the Horn; Quadra, who represented Spain in this part of the world; Cook, whose discoveries paved the way for British occupation; Meares, whose exploits contributed to the making of Northwest Coast history; Vancouver, whose work and fame are so well known to all; Mackenzie, whose heroic overland journey reads like romance; Fraser, who gave his name to the great river; Thompson, who was one of the pathfinders; Douglas, who gave us settled government; Begbie, whose memory is associated with the establishment of the principle of British justice in this, then, far-off corner of the world—these and other names crowd in upon the mind, when we think of the galaxy of illustrious men, whose achievements meant so much for the world. In the deeds of such men

there is abundant material for fine historic pictures, and of some of them it is possible to give perfect portraits.

In the Eastern provinces many priceless opportunities to transmit to future generations the portraits of the distinguished founders of British North America were allowed to lapse until it became too late in most cases to secure them. Fortunately in British Columbia there is yet time to accomplish something, but it is already more than a century since the first of the British discoverers came to our shores and the years are slipping by. We are sure that the people of British Columbia would fully approve of any reasonable outlay that the government may make to collect in the parliament buildings a series of historic portraits and artistic conceptions of great historic events. As an illustration of what we mean by the latter, take the meeting of Quadra and Vancouver. Here is a fine subject for a painter with an imagination. At present it would be well, probably, to confine what is done to portraiture. Let us have the pictures of the founders of our country upon the walls of the parliament buildings. They will have a great educational value.

JAPANESE IMMIGRATION

"For the benefit of new arrivals," the Times informs its readers that the Colonist "commended most effectively" the terms of the Lemieux agreement at the time its contents were made public. The Colonist's attitude in regard to the Lemieux agreement was the same when that arrangement was made as it is now—namely, that it was as satisfactory as could be hoped for, seeing that the Laurier ministry had surrendered to the Japanese government the full control of the whole matter. It says we have made "cunning insinuations" as to the attitude of mind of the Liberal ministers on this question. But we only quoted their own words. It pretends that we have misrepresented Mr. Lemieux's attitude and quotes that gentleman's words to prove it. Mr. Lemieux said, so our contemporary tells us: "My policy is to respect the treaty to which we have adhered unconditionally and unreservedly, relying, as regards immigration, upon the assurances, which have been given by the Japanese government." There is the whole matter in a nutshell. Here is the measure of exclusion for which the government—such an exclusion as the Japanese government is willing to agree to. If that means 1,000 immigrants a day, Canada has no remedy, for she has committed herself "unconditionally and unreservedly" by the treaty.

"The policy of this government is for the restriction of Oriental labor into British Columbia," said Mr. Lemieux, according to our contemporary. Note Mr. Lemieux's words. He talks of "restriction" of Oriental labor; this restriction in the case of Japanese to be in the discretion of the Japanese government. But the people of British Columbia do not want "restriction"; they want "exclusion." They do not want the Japanese government to have the right to say how many laborers shall come from that country to this. They want that question to be settled in Canada by Canadians.

The line of demarcation is clearly drawn. Mr. Templeman stands for the policy of restriction at the will of Japan. The great majority of the people of British Columbia are opposed to this. Here we have a fair and square issue, and upon this we are content to rest the issue of the present contest. Is Mr. Templeman content to do so?

The issue is important, because the declaration of the electors of Victoria will go far to determining the future policy of the government of Canada as well as that of Japan. We are either for Japanese immigration as regulated by the Japanese themselves or we are for the control of that immigration by the people of Canada. On which side are you?

THE TIMBER PROBLEM.

The restoration of the timber of Canada is only second in importance to the preservation of existing forests from destruction by fire or from injudicious exploitation. We pointed out a few days ago the great cost of reforestation, and have on several occasions referred to the necessity of co-operation between the governments of the provinces and the owners of timber lands. The Toronto News thus discusses one phase of the problem as it applies to Ontario:

In Ontario the government is free to adopt modern methods in the large area that has not yet been licensed, and to cut over the area in such a way as to keep a crop of young timber growing. But what about the limits which have been licensed, and wherein the land is not fitted for agriculture? If the land were left for farming, the law provides how the lumberman may have his lease terminated, but where no sensible man would suggest farming, how is a period to be put to the lease? These leases, according to custom, dating back to the settlement of Upper Canada, are yearly permits to cut timber, but by long custom they have come to be viewed by the lumbermen, at all events, as perpetual leases, or, at all events, very long term leases. These men pay into the provincial treasury a revenue of about two millions per year. It is the cash which they hand in that keeps this province from direct taxation. Naturally the government could not be expected to deal with them as if they were a set of freebooters and pirates.

Yet if the province of Ontario is to get the full value of these old limits there must be a time when the lumbermen conclude and leave the land to the government that it may begin the work of reforestation and in time sell the limits over again. This is the big problem which faces Ontario, not the planting of a few thousand or a few million trees. How are these limits to be got back on terms which will be fair to both parties? Shall there be a time limit fixed now, or shall there be some form of compensation? These

are the questions which the thinking men of this province should consider because they are surely coming to the front, and they cannot be settled by Ministers unless there is an informed body of public opinion ready to support the Ministers when they do act.

We are under the impression that our New Brunswick exchanges can make a valuable contribution to this important subject. Along the line of railway from Woodstock to St. Andrews there is a growth of timber that is not very old. At least there was such a growth fifteen or so years ago. It is chiefly pine and we have understood that its existence was due to the foresight of lumbermen, who strewed pine cones broadcast over considerable areas. Is this the case, and if so, what is the history of the transaction?

EXPLANATION WANTED.

In order to be of as much assistance as possible to Mr. Templeman in the discharge of his avowed intention to explain everything, we venture to offer another matter to which he might not unprofitably direct his attention. It relates to the public debt, about which we have the following facts:

Net debt, June 30, 1896.....\$258,500,000

Net debt, March, 31, 1908.....\$275,600,000

Increase.....\$17,100,000

During the same period the Laurier government received more money from the people by \$229,000,000 than would have been received if no more had been collected annually than the Conservatives collected when in office.

Now what we would like Mr. Templeman to explain is:

How he justifies the increase of debt with the boasted annual surplus;

How he makes this increase square with the Liberal promises of retrenchment and economy;

How much he thinks the debt of the Dominion will be by the close of the present fiscal year.

We assume that Mr. Templeman must fully understand these matters. In order to supply him with language proper to the characterization of what seem to us to be extraordinary increases in debt and taxation, we remind him of the following observations made by two of his most distinguished colleagues. Previous to the elections of 1896, Sir Wilfrid Laurier said:

"I promise you that if you put our party in power we will reduce the annual expenditure by \$2,000,000 or \$3,000,000 per annum."

Sir Richard Cartwright, whose command of picturesque English is so well known, said:

"I repeat it now that \$38,000,000, let alone \$40,000,000, is, in my judgment, a monstrous sum for the people of Canada to be called upon to provide."

And again we quote Sir Richard: "I say it is a disgrace and shame to the government that they ask for an expenditure of \$38,300,000 a year for federal purposes. Sir, the thing is utterly unjustifiable."

We are not this morning able to quote any of Mr. Templeman's observations in regard to "Tory extravagance" in the days before 1896. Doubtless we could give some interesting ones in the speeches delivered by him when he was courageously, but unsuccessfully, wooing the suffrages of Victorians in elections in that ancient period in the history of mankind. We may look up these for future reference, but in the meantime would be glad to have his explanations of the exceedingly interesting propositions mentioned above. It is very desirable, as our friend the Minister has said, that the election campaign should as far as possible be lifted out of the level of scandals and things like that, and therefore we shall do our best to assist him upon putting it upon the higher plane. As the matters to be explained are many, we trust he will not unduly delay the explanations.

DISCOURAGING GRAFT

The observations of Mr. Justice Phillimore, when he sentenced the ten members and ex-members of the Mile End Board of Guardians were very much to the point. He began by telling them that they should each forfeit any public office now held, and in addition should be incapable for seven years of being elected or appointed to any office. He said that he could sentence them to refund all they had dishonestly received, but would not for two reasons. One was that it was difficult to fix the sums, and the other that "it would ruin them past redemption." Instead of doing this he proposed to fine them in addition to the other punishment inflicted and they would have to stay in prison until the fines were paid. The oldest of the convicted men is named Gould. The judge said he would like him to come out of prison before he died, and therefore would only sentence him to fifteen months hard labor and a fine of £25, although he ought to be more severely dealt with as he was the very leader. Kemp was not quite as guilty as the others and he only received six months imprisonment in addition to a fine of £25. Loftus, Redpath, Stammers, Trott and Gilder were fined a similar amount and sent to prison for nine months. Gilson was fined £250, but not sentenced to imprisonment. Addressing Hirst and Warren, the judge said they were old Guardians. They were leaders. He could find no excuse for the first. Thrice mayor, by virtue of his office a Magistrate, and yet a leader of the ring. He was despotic, and his Lordship believed he was making advantages out of other contracts and contractors. He would be sentenced to imprisonment with hard labor for two

years, and would be fined £250. He was very, very sorry for Warren. He had lived with good men and good men had spoken for him. He had been more weak than sinning, but he had been wicked in a very dangerous way. He would give him the benefit of the good character and the good works which he had done, and his sentence would be one of imprisonment for one year, and a fine of £250.

Treatment of this kind meted out to persons who make free with the money of the public and corruptly abuse their public positions will be a sovereign cure for graft.

The Province quotes Mr. Joseph Martin as saying: "It lies between Cowan and I who gets this seat." We do not believe Mr. Martin would say anything so ungrammatical.

New Zealand is grappling with the road problem and during the next four years proposes to expend \$5,000,000 in the improvement of highways on what are known as "the back lots." A wise road policy is a great advantage to any country.

The Montreal Herald describes the late Andrew G. Blair as "a clear-visioned legislator." When we compare his estimate of the cost of the National Transcontinental Railway with the estimate of Mr. Fielding, the adjective appears well chosen.

The population of France is declining. That is, the deaths exceed the births. In Germany the reverse process is going on. Unless the people of France change their method of living their country will become depopulated and the Bay of Biscay will be the frontier of Germany.

Complaint is made that Canadians returning from Europe are subject to a rigid examination at the Atlantic ports, unless they are traveling first class. It ought not to be beyond the ingenuity of the government to devise some means of alleviating what is a needless and somewhat humiliating nuisance.

The Montreal Witness urges that there shall be an annual independent audit of the accounts of all the chartered banks. It thinks such an audit would have prevented the grave irregularities which wrecked the Banque Ville Marie, the Ontario bank and others. The Canadian Pacific Railway company has recently adopted the plan of having an independent audit.

Dr. R. W. Phillips, of Edinburgh, says it is a great mistake to suppose that patients, in the incipient stages of tuberculosis, must necessarily be sent away from home to be cured. He says if the disease is taken hold of in time it can be cured without the patient being compelled to give up his or her occupation. He does not question the usefulness of sanatoria, although he does urge that they should be established on lines of Spartan simplicity.

Every now and then we get an indignant letter from a correspondent, who feels hurt because a letter sent by him has not been printed. The Colonist is a large paper, but it sometimes happens that there is not room in it for all the letters that are put in type. Sometimes the letters, which correspondents say they have written, do not reach us. We are always glad to get letters and to print them.

An exhibition of the products of co-operative labor is now in progress at the Crystal Palace, London. This is the twenty-first exhibition of the kind. It is announced that there are now upwards of 1000 co-operative societies in Great Britain. Last year the membership numbered 2,434,055. The sales of the year amounted to \$500,000,000 in round numbers, of which \$60,000,000 were profit. This is a splendid showing.

The Monetary Times thinks the business outlook warrants conservative optimism. It tells us that the current loans in Canada have decreased \$56,000,000 in a year, which is more than \$4,000,000 a month. Nothing serves better as an indication of what has been taking place in the business world. This is a vast amount of liquidation for a country having no larger population than Canada. The Times does not anticipate any great loosening of the money market. One reason for this is that grain is more plentiful than money, or in other words so much money will be needed to handle the grain that there will be less to employ in other directions. Another reason is that a good many outstanding debts have to be paid. Nevertheless "prosperity will come as a natural consequence."

Mr. Arthur Davies, in a letter to the Colonist this morning, directs attention to an oversight on the part of those who had the visiting mining men in charge. In so doing he touches upon one of Victoria's social faults. The personal hospitality extended to quasi-public visitors here is almost always a little stiff and too greatly restricted. We do not know why this is. It is not because the people of this community imagine themselves to be on a sort of social pinnacle. If anything the reason is the reverse, and has its origin in an insularity, which is a survival of a by-gone time. We ought to become more cosmopolitan. We are really in point of fact just as good as other people, and there is no good cause for us to be as shy as a lot of school-girls when a number of prominent people pay us a visit. It is, of course, too late to remedy the omission of which Mr. Davies speaks; but the next time a party of distinguished people come here let us brace up like men and not flock by ourselves, like Lord Dundreary's birds of a feather.

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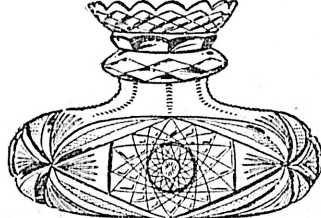
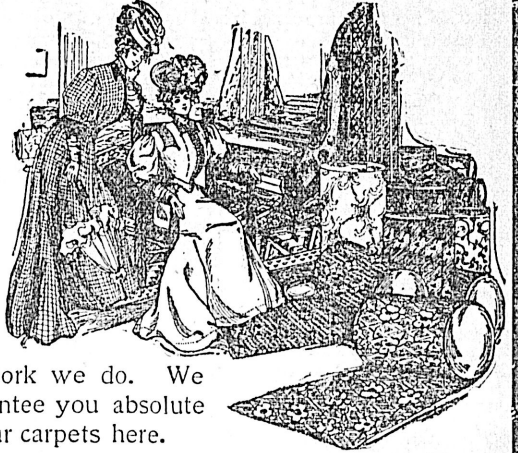
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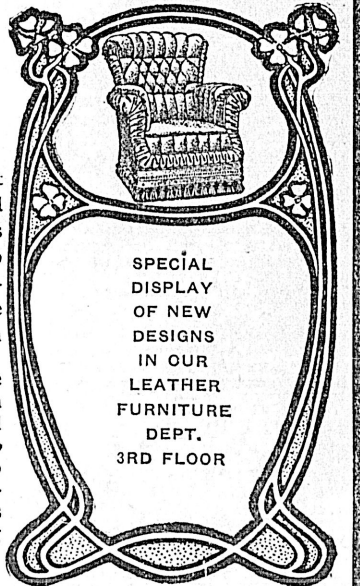
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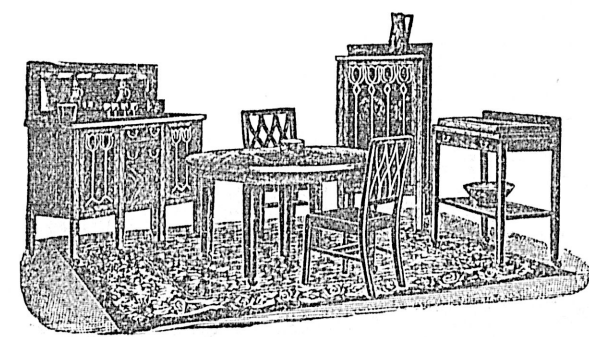
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NOTE AND COMMENT

The question of technical schools is bound to be a live issue in Canada for many years to come. The need for this training has arisen naturally with the growing importance of Canada in the world's markets. A Montreal correspondent writes under date of Sept. 17:

At the Canadian manufacturers' meeting this morning important reports dealt with technical education and Canada's foreign trade. In connection with the former, the opinion was expressed that a science of industrial education would have to be developed in Canada if it was to compete with foreign nations successfully. What was proposed was to send commissioners abroad to study other systems of industrial education. For this purpose it was recommended that \$25,000 be appropriated to pay expenses of commissioners. The report on Canada's foreign trade pointed out the need of more trade commissioners to represent the country abroad.

One of the penalties of the war is now being paid by Japan—the increase of crime due to the discharge of the many thousands of soldiers who served against the Russians. A despatch from Tokio says:

The Japanese authorities can no longer shut their eyes to the increase of crime in city as well as country districts, and the growing inadequacy of the police force to meet the new conditions which have prevailed since the closing of the Russo-Japanese war and the discharge of thousands of soldiers, many of whom have failed to find honest employment. Among other signs of lawlessness is an increase in piracy along the coasts watered by the inland seas. Various vessels plying among the islands have been ransacked from month to month, and many persons have been robbed and murdered, and even women have been carried away captives. The Japanese themselves attribute the increase of lawlessness to Occidental influence, but most foreigners are inclined to blame the authorities for paying too little attention to civil offences while being extremely severe on offences against the military and branches of governmental regulations. There is no doubt that the police force is inadequate to cope with the responsibilities imposed by modern civilization in Japan, and the miserable wage of \$5 or \$6 a month which they receive reduces them to a scale of living below the commonest laborer.

On the eve of Bryan's speech of acceptance, the New York Journal of Commerce, which takes an independent view of politics, said:

Mr. Bryan is as radical as of yore, but public sentiment has traveled a long way since then. There has been a revolution in government regulation of corporations. The silver bubble has burst. High finance has been scourged and purged. Publicity has done its work nobly. Every possible step has been taken to exploit scandals and corruption in high places. The twelve intervening years have brought fundamental prosperity of every section of the nation, particularly to that most important body, the agricultural population. Mr. Bryan can scarcely throw any bonerang into the political arena at this time. The country has become accustomed to the wildest fads and fancies of aspiring politicians. Even his advocacy of government ownership of railroads enunciated last year has fallen flat. Sops thrown to labor cease to create alarm. In a word, nothing Mr. Bryan can say is calculated, according to Wall Street's reason to cause convulsions.

The London Chronicle in a recent issue publishes an interview with a gentleman well versed in all matters pertaining to South America, particularly the government and finances of Brazil, where he resided and carried on business for years.

He expressed surprise that there should be any doubt of Brazil's intentions of embarking upon the costly venture of warships, and added: "It means war, a war that we in Brazil have known to be inevitable for a long time." He proceeded to explain that the trouble lay with the buffer State of Uruguay, whose particular part is practically commanded by Argentina. Apart from the envy with which Argentina regarded Uruguay, the north-east frontier of the latter country is freely used for the passing of contraband into Brazil. It is probable that an amicable arrangement can be reached with Uruguay, which will cause war that cannot be long delayed.

A special cable from Auckland, New Zealand, relates that a decision had just been reached to paint the United States battleships a dark gray, instead of white, the color heretofore employed. Apropos of the cruise of the great squadron, a Tokio correspondent writes:

The navy department is already busily engaged in preparing for the reception of the American Atlantic battle-ship fleet, due to arrive in Japanese waters October 17. The reception will undoubtedly be conducted on a grand scale, and the chief difficulty now appears to be to keep the programme within the bounds demanded by the time and time the vessels will remain here. It is estimated that the welcome to be accorded the American fleet by Japan will cost \$500,000. Every officer and man of the visitors will be presented with a souvenir of the occasion, these to be made of silver.

ESPERANTO USED

Bohemian Authorities Find That Anarchists Use New Language

Prague, Sept. 24.—Anarchists are now using Esperanto as the language of communication with comrades in foreign countries.

This was discovered accidentally in Bohemia, where the authorities unacquainted with the Esperanto language, mistaking it for a new form of Esperanto, with ramifications extending from Spain and Portugal in the south to North America in the west.

A large quantity of books, documents and letters of a highly incriminating character was discovered by the police. The police correspondence with anarchists abroad was carried on in Esperanto, in which all the parties seemed to have obtained a fair degree of proficiency. "Czeska Federace," as the society was called, also had its secret cipher, which the police have not yet been able to unravel.

The Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Railway issued orders to stop the throwing of rice by bridal parties in stations and trains.

FORTY YEARS AGO

From the British Colonist, Friday morning, Sept. 25, 1863.

The exhibition was opened to the public on Friday morning, 19th inst., and was closed at 1 p. m. on Saturday.

There were several articles on exhibition from Victoria that took prizes, among which was a large variety of seeds and shrubs shown by Mr. Bales, of J. & Bales, and elicited the admiration of all amateur gardeners, who bought up all of the shrubs and evergreens. Mr. Heywood, of Victoria, exhibited some hams and bacon; they evoked universal praise.

The great variety of articles shown and their excellent quality fully demonstrated the agricultural capacity of the Colony. (Reprinted from New Westminster Examiner).

Coal at Saanich.—Some few days ago we gave an account of certain parties of this town prospecting for coal at North Saanich under circumstances which gave them just reason to anticipate final success. Yesterday a Mr. Reid, of Saanich district, arrived in town bringing to the parties concerned the cheering news that the seam, on Monday last, suddenly opened out four feet nine inches thick. The presumption from this fact is, that the junction of the two seams which the workmen have been some time following down, has been struck, and instead of giving out, has formed a seam of splendid coal five feet wide.

Agricultural Show.—It is believed that the Hudson Bay Co. and the proprietors of the Fraser river steamers will convey passengers and articles intended for exhibition at the forthcoming exhibition free of charge.

ABOUT PEOPLE

The Elsteddof poems for which one winner is "crowned" and another winner is "chaired" are, says the Manchester Guardian, very different types of composition. The crown poem is similar in style to any ordinary English long poem on a heroic subject—that is, it is bound by only such metrical regulations as bind English verse. The chair ode—or "award" to be simply awarded—is bound in rules, and it is given to but few to be able to construct even one of the eight or nine hundred lines that go to its making. The poet must sing within the limitations laid down by these peculiar laws of "cynanedd," or systematized alliteration which exist in no other language, and which form the real secret of the bards. To describe these laws or to illustrate them is somewhat difficult, as the English language does not lend itself to the purpose. But, roughly, it may be stated that the constraints in the two halves of a line correspond with one another, whilst the vowels must vary.

A most interesting letter from Lady Curzon written in India to Lady Randolph Churchill is published in the Century Magazine for September in another chapter of Lady Randolph's very vivacious recollections: "Viceroys' Camp, May 18, 1903." The result of the Durbar for empire more than justifies the expenditure of £200,000 (the cost). The mere bringing together of people from the Chinese frontier of Tibet and Siam, Burma, Bootea Nepal, Gilgit, Chitral, Swat, Beluchistan, Travancore and Kathiawar has been the most marvellous object lesson. Chiefs from the outer fringes of civilization who for years had been turbulent, gaped. "Had we known we were fighting this we should have remained in peace." There is no doubt it was the most surprising gathering the world has ever seen or will ever see again, and the "lucky hand" of George's organization amazed every modern soul there.

Forgive this dull stuff, I am sticking to the sides of the Himalayas like a barnacle with only a three weeks' old copy of the Times to make me gay and witty. Do write. You are the only person who lives on the edge of the edge and is always full of vitality and success. Yours ever affectionately, Mary."

Lady Helen Forbes, whose letters to the press, and articles concerning any public subject of controversy are always read with interest, if not with a perfect agreement, is the only sister of Lord Craven. Few modern women are concerned with so many things for while a keen sportswoman—a regular rider to hounds, and an enthusiastic motorist—she is an authority on that most scholarly of pursuits, opera, and several of her novels have been discussed, notably the one entitled "It's a Way they have in the Army," written after Lady Helen had spent some years of her life as the wife of that distinguished Scottish officer, Captain Ian Forbes, of the Gordon Highlanders, whom she married seven years ago. Lady Helen is devoted to music, and while still a girl she published a charming volume, entitled "Notes of a Music-Lover."

Sir John Watson, V.C., G.C.B., who has attained his seventy-ninth birthday, is colonel of the Indian Punjab cavalry regiment which bears his name, Watson's Horse. He gained his V.C. nearly fifty-one years ago in Sir Colin Campbell's advance upon Lucknow, his particular act of valor being that he engaged, and after a severe struggle defeated, a native rebel officer who was assisted by six men. Sir John, says the Globe, is one of the four survivors of the twenty-seven officers and men who received the Cross for second relief of Lucknow, the others being Sir Hugh Gough, Sir Nowell Salmon, and Sergeant Paton.

Ancestors have their uses. Charles Surface sold his and in the "Pirates of Penzance" they were bought with the estates, and the General with logic unassailable proves to his own satisfaction that they were his ancestors. An opportunity of purchasing ancestors offers itself in France, where the Grenobles there will be offered for sale at auction on the 12th inst. the church and the cemetery of Saint Christophe-la-Grotte. The church will be offered with its clock tower for a price of 500 francs, and the cemetery will be thrown in for an extra 250 francs, if there is no higher bidder. The cemetery was first used in 1832, and contains the remains of all the families of Saint Christophe.

To reduce his increasing weight Prince Etel Friedrich, second son of the Kaiser, has undertaken a novel "cure," of which he has just finished the first stage. For several weeks the Mail says, he has been living the life of a common laborer at his summer residence, Ingenheim Castle, near Charlottenburg, where from morning to night he engaged in the most strenuous physical work. From five to seven hours a day of gardening, tree-felling, cutting hedges, sawing wood, carpentry, and the building sheds have made up his daily programme.

BRITISH OPINION

The Morning Post says: In France the new situation has not caused any serious perturbation. Germany's action of course inspires regret, and even annoyance, but it does not excite any alarm nor arouse doubt and hesitation as to the proper policy to be pursued. The comments of the French press are marked by perfect dignity and restraint. The nation rightly feels that the weight of European opinion is on its side, and that it can count on the loyal and hearty support of Great Britain and Russia. France's attitude towards the question of recognizing Muly el Hafid will therefore be unchanged. Hitherto there has been no opportunity to learn the position and attitude of Muly el Hafid, but France and Spain are conferring together as to the guarantees necessary to European interests, and will try to secure the agreement of the other Powers on the matter. The extensive interests of France and Spain in Morocco and the special position conferred on them by the Algeiras Act render it fitting and desirable that they should take the initiative in promoting a settlement of the question. It remains to be seen if Germany really thinks it wise to separate herself from the other Powers on this issue.

The Standard says: We are all at one with Mr. Henderson and the labor party in a desire for the preservation of international peace, but we differ as to the means by which war is to be avoided. Mr. Henderson and his friends in the Radical and Socialist parties advocate what they would call a non-provocative policy, they profess to believe that the development of Socialist ideas in modern democracies has engendered a feeling of brotherly love amongst nations, and that no country which is willing to furnish substantial evidence of its pacific intentions stands in danger of attack. The testimony they would have Great Britain give is to reduce its naval and military forces, and so lead by degrees to the final abolition of armaments and armaments as relics of a barbarous age. A leading exponent of this school of thought is Mr. Lloyd George, who never lets slip the opportunity to sneer at the futility of spending money on "instruments of slaughter." To be at one with the Chancellor of the Exchequer and the chairman of the labor party is necessary to forget all the lessons of history.

The Daily News says:—It is the poor who suffer the most—suffer from danger and the plague of dust—and they know perfectly well that the great majority of motorists are simple rich people enjoying a new sensation. It is fortunate that very few Englishmen go armed. If they did we may be sure that the tragedy of Genoa would often be repeated here, and as it is we cannot expect the people to be patient for it is very well for Prince Francis of Teck, as president of the Royal Automobile Club, to issue a well-meaning paper of advice to motorists recommending them to show some consideration for others upon the roads, and to limit as far as possible the probability of slaughter. But the Automobile Club does not set much of an example. The English press, almost without exception, has been appealing to it to drop its speed race in the Isle of Man—a race of no great importance except as an incitement to illegality, for we know that the "four-inch" motor can do eighty-three miles an hour, and our legal limit is twenty. But in face of all protests, the Club has decided to continue the practice and the race itself.

The Morning Post says:—It is no exaggeration to say that all the other decisions of the anti-opium campaign sink into insignificance compared to the vast undertaking on which the Chinese Government is now engaged. How far the efforts started by the famous edict issued in the autumn of 1906 will be successful cannot be said as yet. In the first place, there is among those who know China and its people a wide variety of opinion as to the extent of the opium traffic among teeming millions of the empire and as to the evil effects resulting from its existence. Some estimates have placed the number of Chinese smoking opium as high as 50 to 40 per cent. of the total population. Others again have calculated that not more than 2 per cent. of the inhabitants of China are victims of the drug. There is no less marked a divergence of view as to the result of opium smoking. Many foreigners in China maintain that there is gross exaggeration as to the evils caused by indulgence in the vice. They admit that opium produces ruinous effects when smoked to an excessive extent, but they deny that all who are addicted to the habit indulge their craving so far as to harm seriously their physical and mental powers. On the other hand, there is a large and weighty body of opinion which asserts strongly that the opium habit involves the utter ruin of the physical, mental, and moral faculties of its votaries.

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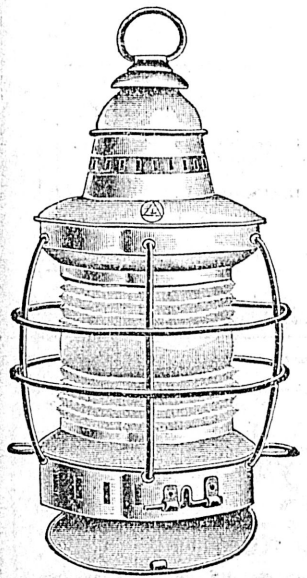
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6	5.31	2.0	3.40	4.21	1.00
7	6.22	1.6	5.25	3.51	88
8	7.10	1.2	7.10	3.21	76
9	7.56	8.6	8.55	2.51	64
10	8.40	8.0	10.40	2.21	52
11	9.22	7.3	12.25	1.51	40
12	10.02	6.5	1.10	1.21	28
13	10.80	5.7	2.55	9.51	16
14	11.56	4.9	4.40	9.21	4
15	12.70	4.0	6.25	8.51	1.00
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NEWS OF THE CITY

Bishop Perrin Returning

The Bishop of Columbia, Mrs. Perrin and family, left Liverpool on the C. P. R. steamer Lake Manitoba on Sept. 10. The bishop is to attend the Liverpool synod at Ottawa, and hopes to reach Victoria early in October.

Delegate to Convention

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. McKilligan leave for Toronto today on a visit. Mr. McKilligan as surveyor of taxes and inspector of revenue, has been appointed a delegate to represent the government at the second annual conference of the International Tax Association, which meets in Toronto from the 6th to the 9th of October.

Many Arrivals by Train

While exact figures in regard to that part of the railways' traffic which is directly due to the holdings of the exhibition cannot at the moment be given, it can be said that so far the number of passengers which can be traced to this stimulus is considerably greater than last year's returns at this date.

To Meet Sunday.

The Christian Endeavor Society in connection with the First Presbyterian church, which during the past summer met on Monday evenings, will hereafter hold its sessions on Sunday evenings, beginning at 6.30 o'clock, or an hour prior to the opening of the evening service; as the church club is monopolizing the evenings of Monday in each week.

Rest Tent at Exhibition.

The "Rest Tent" at the provincial exhibition, under the auspices of the Local Council of Women, supplies excellent refreshments and lunch, afternoon tea, etc., may be obtained there between the hours of 6 and 10 p.m. The ladies in charge invite the patronage, not only of their many friends in town, but also of visitors from other parts interested in the good work of the Woman's Council.

Exhibits from Bulkley Valley

Magnificent samples of wheat, barley, oats, turnips and vegetables of every description which reached the city yesterday from Bulkley valley were taken up early in the afternoon to the exhibition buildings at Willows beach by Mr. Martin, of the agricultural department. A great number of very fine specimens of minerals such as copper, galena and silver which were sent from Teliqua valley which adjoins Bulkley, reached the city at the same time, and these were also and at once removed to the fair grounds, where they must attract a good deal of attention. These exhibits were despatched in care of Mr. R. M. Palmer.

Barring Out Undesirables

The immigration officers have been busy during the past few days and as a result of their work over a hundred penniless and undesirable visitors have been prevented from coming here. Sam Reid, officer on board the steamer Princess Victoria, has stopped fifteen to twenty undesirables from boarding the steamer at Seattle during the past few days, and at arrival at Victoria, others have been weeded out by Dr. G. L. Milne and Mr. Roff, local immigration officers, who are assisted by Detectives Perdue, O'Leary and Clayards. On Monday a large gang was returned, including a number of undesirable visitors. On Tuesday the total number sent back on both steamers was thirty-five, and on Wednesday twenty-five were returned.

Presbyterian Club Meets.

The Presbyterian club, which was organized two years ago, will hold the second meeting of the present season in the schoolroom of the First Presbyterian church on Monday evening next. Its general objects may be briefly stated as being social, literary and musical, and each Monday evening is devoted to the practical illustration of one of these topics. Rev. Dr. Campbell, the pastor of this church, is its honorary president, while the officers are as follows: President, Mr. J. G. Brown, the efficient choir-master; vice-president, Miss Mina Wilson; secretary, Mr. Perry; treasurer, Mrs. R. Van Munster, and organist, Mrs. Hall, who is also the church organist, all of whom were elected on Monday last.

Installing Six-Inch Guns

Capt. Hughes, R. E., is installing the big six-inch gun which has been given to the Fifth Regiment C. A. for use in training the gunners in the use of the garrison ordnance in the building adjoining the drill hall. The templest is being put in by the engineers, and the big holding-down ring, which has been transported from West Point, is being made fast as soon as the cement sets around the bolts which have been put down in the cement foundation. Then the hyre pneumatic carriage will be brought from West Point and mounted, and the gun set in position. The work is difficult owing to the cramped space in which the engineers have to work. It is expected the gun will be mounted and ready for use within a month.

To Lecture on the South

Mrs. Martha Gielow, a southern lady who comes to this city from away down in old Alabama, will give a most interesting lecture in the schoolroom of Christ Church cathedral upon scenes in the great states of the south on Tuesday evening next. Mrs. Gielow, who brings with her the very highest commendations, is considered to be one of the foremost exponents of negro manumission and what might perhaps be termed negro folklore. This lady is also deeply interested in promoting the education of the poor whites in the southern regions who number no less than three millions. A great many of these whites live in the Appalachian mountains, which are situated in the western part of the state of Georgia, and they are not to be mistaken for the class which in the old slave days were called by the negroes themselves, poor white trash. This lecture will be given under the auspices of the women's auxiliary and will no doubt attract a great deal of attention at the hands especially of church people in this city.

Westminster Hall Closing.

The first summer's sessions at Westminster hall, the Presbyterian college in Vancouver, close on Wednesday next, the 30th instant, when special exercises will be held in order suitably to mark the significance as well as the importance of the occasion. While the attendance of students during the year has not been large, much solid and useful work has been accomplished. Very interesting courses of lectures have been delivered during the season by Rev. Dr. and Prof. Fraser, of Montreal; Rev. Dr. Camp-

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bell, of the St. Gabriel church, Montreal, who is justly considered to be the highest Presbyterian authority upon church law and ecclesiastical procedure; and Rev. Dr. Davidson, upon Old Testament literature. Presbyterian colleges are now firmly established in six important cities in Canada: Halifax, Montreal, Kingston, Toronto, Winnipeg, and Vancouver. In due course the last named will be constituted a winter college; but its present work is confined to the further training of students, who during the balance of the year are employed in the Canadian mission field, their places being in the meantime taken by other theological students.

In Chambers.

Chief Justice Hunter held a chamber court meeting. The business before him, however, consisted only of a couple of formal applications.

Quail Shooting.

The Gazette of yesterday contains the announcement that quail may be shot in the electoral districts of Saanich, Esquimalt, Cowichan and the Islands from Oct. 1 to Jan. 1, both dates inclusive.

An Orderly Fair.

Notwithstanding the fact that this is race week, when a certain amount of rowdiness is expected by some people, the city has been extremely orderly. In the police court yesterday for instance, there were only a couple of drunks, both of them old offenders.

Mr. Robertson Returns.

W. Fleet Robertson, provincial mineralogist, who was sent by the government to examine the new placer deposits on Ingenika creek in the Findlay river country, returned last night. He does not consider that anything has yet been discovered in that section to warrant a stampede into it.

Pheasant Season.

An order-in-council just published provides that the open season for shooting cock pheasants shall commence Oct. 1 in the Saanich, Esquimalt, Cowichan and Islands electoral districts and end on New Year's day. In the Comox electoral district the season does not begin until October 15 and closes a day earlier. In the electoral districts of Nanaimo, Cowichan, Richmond, Duncan, Delta and Chilliwack the season starts Oct. 15 and closes Dec. 15.

Children's Day Service.

By direction of the general assembly of the Presbyterian church in Canada all the services in the churches throughout the Dominion, from Halifax to Victoria, upon Sunday next, the 27th instant, will be wholly devoted to the mission and uses of the Sabbath school in the economy of the church's great work in the world. In the First Presbyterian church the children, having as usual assembled at 2.30 o'clock on Sunday afternoon in the schoolroom, will at once adjourn to the church, where the prescribed services for the day will be sung and said. The superintendent of this Sunday school, Ald. John Weston, will have full charge of the service, and if the present arrangements are observed, Rev. Dr. Spencer, of this city, will deliver an address. Rev. Dr. Campbell, the pastor of this church, who will, of course, be present, assisting. The order of service has been prescribed for all the Presbyterian Sunday schools in Canada by the general assembly.

THE WEATHER

Meteorological office, Victoria, B. C., at 8 p. m., September 24, 1908:

SYNOPSIS.
The barometer remains high over the North Pacific slope and fair weather is general throughout this province. A cold front from the northwestward in Manitoba a general rainfall prevails. In Southern Alberta over four inches of snow has fallen.

	TEMPERATURE.	Min.	Max.
Victoria	36	56
Vancouver	36	51
New Westminster	30	56
Looploops	32	58
Atlin	30	46
Calgary, Alta.	30	38
Winnipeg, Man.	40	52
Portland, Ore.	36	58
San Francisco	51	61

FORECASTS.
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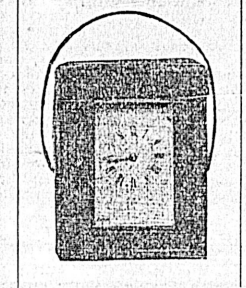
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STOCKMEN'S DINNER AT EXHIBITION CAFE

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The president and directors of the agricultural association of Victoria entertained at luncheon yesterday in the restaurant upon the exhibition grounds the stockmen who have exhibited at this very successful fair. His Worship Mayor Hall was chairman, while all the other directors were present. Mr. W. Paterson, Dr. S. E. Tolmie, George Sangster, Ald. Henderson, J. E. Smart, the secretary. At the conclusion of the banquet and the toast of the King, Mayor Hall said: "The next toast on the programme, gentlemen, is 'Our visiting stockmen,' which will be proposed by Mr. T. W. Paterson, and responded to by Mr. Geo. W. Gray, of Newcastle, Ont."

Mr. Paterson said that speaking on behalf of the agricultural association it gave him exceedingly great pleasure to express the extreme degree of gratification which they felt in having with them today so many energetic and progressive breeders and owners of live stock of very fine quality, for they felt that the great success which the exhibition had achieved during the present week was largely due to the excellent showing of live stock which was to be found upon the grounds, while they hoped that a stimulus would be imported which would result from year to year in still greater improvements in all these respects. (Hear, hear.) The directors regretted very much that they had not been able to afford the exhibiting stockmen as good accommodation as might well be desired and consequently some of the very fine stock which had been brought to the fair had not been housed as comfortably as might easily have been expected, this being due

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who had exhibited stock upon the grounds was abundantly satisfied with all the awards which had been made whether or no they were among the winners, as he felt certain that they were all too good sportsmen not to accept the decisions in every instance in the same spirit with which they were given. (Applause.) The directors had long recognized the absolute necessity which undoubtedly existed for securing the very ablest men whom they could possibly secure to act as judges at this exhibition. (Applause.) They had moreover brought judges this year from a great distance, choosing in many instances gentlemen who had never before acted in this capacity in this far western district, and while he hoped that they would all have a pleasant and safe journey homeward, he was confident that all the exhibitors would join with him in saying that all the awards had been of the most satisfactory description possible. (Applause.)

He had much pleasure in proposing the health of the judges.

Replies for Judges

Judge Geo. W. Gray assured the president and the members of the board of directors that he had spent an exceedingly pleasant time in this city, upon the occasion of this visit, not only in the performance of his

marked excellence; and he believed that they could be beaten among the stock in Manitoba. He had in making this criticism, particular reference to the beef cattle, for he was quite prepared to admit that there was a lot of fine dairy cattle upon the grounds. (Applause.) While he did not really think that the splendid specimens of sheep and of swine, which were to be seen here, could be easily beaten anywhere. (Applause.)

Commissioner Responds

Mr. R. W. Hodgson, the provincial live stock commissioner, said that while he had very little, indeed, to add to the remarks which had been made by Messrs. Gray and Baron, he wished to take advantage of this opportunity to thank the stockmen of this province for the very efficient assistance which they had given him since his arrival in the province for the purpose of fulfilling, to the best of his ability, the duties of his present position. (Applause.) He further desired to congratulate the directors of the association for the splendid fair which had grown up under their care and auspices; and in addition, the stockmen upon their very excellent and varied exhibits of good horses, cattle, sheep and swine. (Applause.)

In his opinion, very few fairs in Canada—and particularly those which had reached the same stage of development—could hope to beat this exhibition; and particularly was this superiority shown in the very important departments of horses and of dairy cattle. (Applause.) For these exhibits were, taken all round, of such marked excellence that the directors and the district had every reason to be exceedingly proud of the excellent showing which was made. (Applause.) This fair, moreover, was still very young in years. Indeed, it was but in its infancy (hear, hear); and he was convinced, basing his judgment upon everything which he had seen since his arrival in the province, that, provided they were assured of the hearty co-operation and the strong support of the stockmen, combined with all the valuable assistance which could be and which was being rendered by the directors of the association, there were to be found here the making of a great



Some of the visitors and their hosts—Members of the Canadian Mining Institute Excursion Party.

to shortness in funds as well as to other reasons which he need not specify in detail. But although they had been absolutely compelled when they were making their arrangements for the present season to limit their expenditure under this head, they hoped with much confidence that when the doors of the exhibition were opened next year the accommodation for all kinds of live stock would be second to none either in this province of British Columbia or in any other part of the whole western country in Canada. (Applause.) It was with great pleasure that he extended a most hearty welcome to all the stockmen who had brought stock to this exhibition, and trusting that their presence as exhibitors on this auspicious occasion could be taken as an effectual assurance of similar and even increased co-operation in these particulars on their part, he would without further remark ask all the other gentlemen who graced the banquet by their presence to drink in the most cordial manner to the health of all the visiting and exhibiting stockmen. (Applause.) The toast having been drunk in moral reform punch the toasters sang with much vim the familiar words, "For they are jolly good fellows."

Responds for Stockmen

Mr. J. T. Maynard: "Mr. President and Mayor and members of the board of directors, I have very much pleasure indeed in responding to this toast, for as an exhibitor of stock at this most excellent fair, of many years standing, I must say that I have at ways received at the hands of all the officers of this association and not only in the way of rich rewards but also in all matters which concern transportation arrangements and the placing of stock in their quarters upon the show grounds. (Hear, hear, and applause.) And permit me to express the ardent hope that prosperity in the highest and best sense of the word will attend the annual holding of this exhibition, that as has constantly been the case in the past every year will show most decided improvements in every department and that in the future we shall have previously been the fact we shall have right here in the city of Victoria an exhibition which will be quite the equal of anything of the kind throughout the whole of this province." (Applause.)

Mayor Hall: "The next item upon our programme is the toast to the judges coupled with the names of our friend, Dr. Tolmie, as the proposer, and of Judge Gray, of Newcastle, who will reply."

Dr. S. F. Tolmie, said that while it gave him a very great deal of pleasure to propose this toast to the judges, he wished to take full advantage of the opportunity to thank these capable gentlemen on behalf of the board of directors of the association for the splendid and speedy way in which they had fulfilled their allotted and very responsible tasks. (Applause.) He felt confident that every gentleman

duties, but in all other particulars. (Applause.) He had received only the very kindest and the most courteous of treatment, both from the president and the directors, as well as from the exhibitors in spite of the fact that he and his brother judges had been compelled to disappoint some of the latter, in the decisions which they had rendered. (Hear, hear.) He believed that the one-man system of judging, if it could be properly worked out, was by far the most intelligent method of judging. (Hear, hear, and applause.) He must not be interpreted as applying this axiom to his own particular case, (hear, hear); but he had done a great deal of judging in his time; indeed, he had been more or less occupied in these duties during the past seven years, and this reflection came to him as the direct result of his varied and difficult experiences. (Hear, hear, and applause.) During these seven years he had been pretty well over Canada, and he could honestly say, he had found that the one-man system had given much more general satisfaction than had uniformly been the case with the three-man system. (Applause.)

Judge J. G. Baron of Carberry, Manitoba, said that he had enjoyed himself immensely since his arrival in this city; and especially had this been the case upon the fair grounds. (Hear, hear, and applause.) Victoria was one of the pleasantest places he had ever visited, and while the fair was an excellent one, he could see no good reason why, in all the circumstances, they should not always have a good exhibition in a place which was so admirably situated for the purpose. (Hear, hear, and applause.) As was the case in all new countries, and, indeed, as was the case everywhere, room existed for improvement in many respects; and as time progressed, many improvements would unquestionably be effected. (Hear, hear.) He approved of the one-man judge system, as it certainly gave better satisfaction than the older system; while it was further true that the work of judging was accomplished in half the time. (Applause.) It gave him the greatest pleasure and satisfaction to see upon the grounds so many fine specimens of horses, cattle, sheep and swine. As a matter of fact, there were here some of the very best sheep that he had ever seen in this country. (Applause.) While there were many very good things among the horses (applause), the cattle, however, were not of such

show in this good city of Victoria." (Applause.)

Judge Gray: "I would like to add, I am confident, from my observation, that a show can be developed here which cannot easily be beaten in any part of Canada." (Applause.)

Mayor Hall: "This toast closes our proceedings, gentlemen, but before we separate, permit me to express the hope that we will meet here again next year." (Great applause.)

Knew No English

Miss Ivanhild Rasmussen, a young lady who comes from far distant Tongsberg, in Norway, and who does not speak a word of English, arrived in town on the charmer from Vancouver last evening, and is staying at the Empress. Her lack of command of our somewhat polyglot language has, however, ample compensation in a complete knowledge both of French and of German.

Lecture at St. Saviour's.

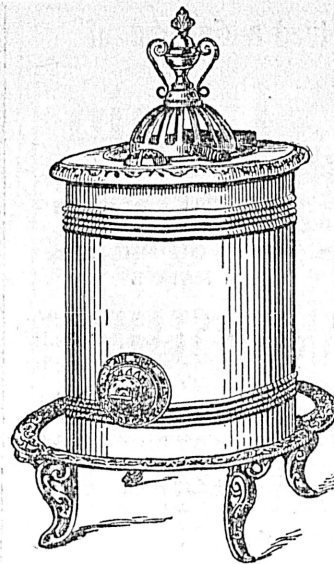
The Rev. Robert Connell entertained a large audience in the schoolroom of St. Saviour's church last evening with a great variety of lantern slides, depicting noteworthy incidents in the history of England, dating as far back as Roman times and coming down to the coronation of Queen Victoria. A collection of handsomely colored slides, giving views of various places in England of unusual interest, was displayed for the especial benefit of the children among the audience, and were loudly applauded.

Results of Raffle

The results of the raffle held in connection with the art department of the exhibition were made known yesterday. The articles disposed of in this manner were five handsome pieces of hand-painted china. Each one was numbered and the winners follow: No. 1, C. W. Newberry; No. 2, Mrs. Hampton; No. 3, Mrs. Mesher; No. 4, Mrs. McQuarrie; No. 5, Mrs. Quirk. The painting is the work of Mrs. Edith Cowper.

Left for Nanaimo

The departure of the members of the Canadian Mining Institute for Nanaimo yesterday morning marked the beginning of the closing incidents in this memorable excursion of trained men of science in the greater country of the west. As soon as the coal mines have been inspected the visiting delegates, with their European guests and friends go directly from the Coal City over to Vancouver, where they will entrain for Banff, while immediately after one of Burns great cattle ranches has been sufficiently investigated to answer their purposes and satisfy their curiosity, they will proceed to Toronto, where they will finally, disperse in their several directions, and despite the fact that their entire western trip has been filled with scenes of stirring and absorbing interest, they will after all be no doubt most heartily glad that this great trip is at last reached its termination.



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HERE AND THERE

The question of woman's suffrage is one that is occupying the attention of the women of England to an absorbing degree. In this province women are very strongly interested in the question of the franchise for women, not only in municipal but in provincial affairs. At present women who are property holders can vote in the municipal elections and for members of the school board, but at present all other women are debarred from voting. In England, women engage in public affairs to a much greater extent than in Canada and the United States. In the executive work of the country both philanthropic and educational, many women are prominent and none are debarred from such positions on account of their sex. Yet among all classes there are women who believe that if they had a voice in the election of the makers of the laws of the country the position of women would be greatly improved.

On the other hand, there is a large and very influential part of the womanhood of the nation which feels that not only would the women not benefit by gaining the franchise, but that their entrance into political contests would be accompanied by losses far more serious than any gain obtained would compensate. The suffragists have been very aggressive, and apart altogether from the tactics of the suffragettes, have by voice and pen made their sentiments and arguments public. Until recently their opponents have been satisfied to offer a passive resistance to the movement. Recently, however, as the readers of this page know, they have formed themselves into a society whose object it is, in all suitable ways, to oppose the spread of the movement. Among the most prominent of the anti-suffragist writers are Mrs. Humphrey Ward and Lady Lovat. Mrs. Ward's letters have been noticed on this page and an attempt has been made to present some of her arguments.

In the current number of the Nineteenth Century there is an article in reply to Lady Lovat and Mrs. Humphrey Ward entitled "Women and the Suffrage," by Eva Gore-Booth, of which an attempt will be made to give a brief transcript in the hope that a greater and more intelligent interest will be created in this important controversy.

At the outset the writer protests against the speaking of Woman as an abstract personality. She does not believe that any description can apply to the whole sex. Those who contend most strongly against the inferiority of women are those who most fear their competition. "The men trade unionists who say women can never be as skilled as men, say it because they do not want them to be employed." Ruskin's descriptions of women as those who should spend their lives in "sweet ordering, arrangement, decision," and whose function it is to rule and not to fight brings forth this remark: "Lady Lovat quotes Ruskin's saying that women should rule and not fight, and one is tempted to think how strange it was that Ruskin did not seem to know that, everywhere, and in every sphere, physical, mental and spiritual, it is the hardest fighters who, in the end, rule, and must rule. Because the hardest fighters are simply those who are most in touch with the Divine force."

Lady Lovat claimed that the admission of women into the medical profession was gained without the franchise but it is contended that this and other advances were made by those whom the writer designates as Women's Rights women. The following sentences are a reply to the argument that public life would interfere with the duty of women to their children: As to the education, Lady Lovat quotes Plato in support of the view that to draw out the Divine Image in a human is a greater work than the making of a beautiful statue. This is no doubt true, but there are few who would venture to assert that a man or woman of genius, an artist or a thinker, could not be as useful an instrument to awaken the Divine Image in another's soul as an ordinary domestic person immersed in trivialities. Indeed, is no question of time. No women of any class really educate their children, they provide teachers for them or send them to school. Their own influence is confined for the most part to what they are and what they know—the real source of all power. If any-

In Woman's Realm

one wishes to have influence, let her not forget Maeterlinck's fable about the man in the lighthouse, who gave away the oil in his lamp to the poor, and thus lost his power to save great ships from destruction. And it is one of the enduring happinesses of life that everything we learn and every truth we discover makes our lamp burn brighter and thus enables us to help other people." So far except for the implication that the ordinary domestic person is immersed in trivialities, suffragists and anti-suffragists will agree. On the concluding sentences of the paragraph there is room for a difference of opinion.

"The idea that one power crowds out another in the human mind is based on a very false conception of the working of the laws that make evolution by a gradual widening of mental outlook, and the receding of horizons before a determined effort of the will. Women who willfully detach themselves from the energies and struggle and fight of the living world around them to pursue an ideal of the gracious seclusion of the family, and the sanctifying influence of passive existence will too soon find that they have nothing to give their children, and that the young will go elsewhere for the generous inspirations of courage and heroic living. But nobody can escape the battle in life. And nobody should."

Besides claiming the right of women to enter into the contests and struggles of the world, the writer refuses to accept Lady Lovat's statement that love is the special prerogative of woman, saying, "as to love, surely it is a universal principle not to be narrowed down to any one section of humanity." Mrs. Gore-Booth does not think that the relations at present existing between the sexes would in any way be affected by the granting of the franchise to women. "Our private relations to one another," she says, "are not settled by the House of Commons, but by the deep working of our own natures." There is, this writer believes, a pressing need of the voice of women in the making of the laws of Great Britain.

They (the working men) realize in a way that the leisure class cannot, that it is the present outcast position of working women that forces them to pull down the rate for everybody by accepting such very low pay. And, apart even from wages, never before in the history of this country have women had more need of political power to protect themselves from injurious legislation."

After showing that the question of the employment of women is full of difficulties which, as she thinks, women know best how to solve, Mrs. Gore-Booth goes on to criticize the speech of Mrs. Humphrey Ward in proposing the anti-suffrage manifesto. In answer to the arguments that, as men alone must defend their country they ought to make its laws, it is said that "The days of Napoleon and Julius Caesar and Alexander the Great have passed and all who found their claims to rule on superior physical force are building on the sand, and their claims must in the course of evolution crumble away into the same ruin, as the claims of the lion or the pack of wolves to terrorize the human race."

Eva Gore-Booth speaks very strongly on the subject of the indirect representation which Mrs. Ward considers so valuable. She thinks that if the government is going to concern itself about the laws made on their behalf those ladies should be elected to represent those on whose behalf they speak. She does not believe that the cultured and refined women of England always understand the needs of the working women. "The truth is, the power of the few women of the upper classes who by their position and social influence are able to keep in touch with legislation is no comfort at all to the mass of working women, who want to be governed by people who are responsible to them, and to whom it will therefore come as a matter of course to consider their interests and consult their intelligence, and the fact that men will anxiously consult distinguished and philanthropic ladies does not count for much in the matter of legislation. The advocates of woman's suffrage on this continent have much in common with their British sisters, they have problems to solve which as yet do not present themselves to the women of Canada or the United States."

English Fashions. There are several reasons why the large hat should enjoy longer than a brief summer of popularity. It is much more important looking than the medium-sized hat or the dress toque. It lends a halo to a full-face toilette that no small hat can give, and it is almost universally becoming. Many quite ordinary looking women have managed to seem smart and pretty this year for no other reason than that they were exceptionally well-dressed in the matter of headgear. Not every large hat becomes every woman; almost all depends upon the way the hair is done and the size and shape of the face; but when the right hat is selected and properly worn it is becoming to nine women out of ten. It is a fact that the large hat placed it on record that she cannot wear with advantage any form of head covering other than the toque, but, as she appeared on a sunny day during Cowes week with a fairly wide-brimmed hat in which were flowers, she looked years younger than customers of the sedate toque frequently has an ageing effect, though its admirers will hardly admit as much.

The large hats for autumn and winter wear will be mainly in felt and velvet, but velvet will be more employed than has been the case for a decade, and there is a decided feeling for soft and rather lustreless satin. Black, grey in half a hundred subtle shades, and various tones of green will doubtless rank foremost in general esteem, but many smart women will bestow their patronage on the khaki tint that has been so much seen at continental "baths" during the past month or so. Many of these khaki-colored hats are trimmed with white veils or feathers, but they look even better in autumn with black or brown. Wings will almost inevitably supplant to a large extent feathers, and hardly any hat that I have recently noted has been adorned with ospreys. The humanitarian heart may therefore rejoice.

SOME RECIPES

Nut Salad Sandwiches—Grind English walnuts or hickory nuts in your meat grinder, mix with an equal quantity of celery chopped extremely fine and add to this mixture mayonnaise, made with plenty of lemon juice. Have white bread cut thin, brush lightly with melted butter, lay on a crisp lettuce leaf, spread this with the nut and celery mixture, lay the second slice of bread upon it and serve at once.

Olive Sandwiches—Cut the meat off the stores and chop the olives very fine. Mix with mayonnaise dressing and spread on unbuttered white bread, cut very thin.

Tongue and Veal Sandwiches—Remove from cold tongue and veal every scrap of fat, gristle and skin. Grind in your meat grinder, moisten with a trifle with soup stock and season highly with paprika and a mere dash of putmeg. Spread lightly on thin white bread, and serve very cold. A half-warm meat sandwich is not appetizing. If you prefer a salad sandwich, add to the ground tongue and veal, a little mayonnaise. Another very dainty meat sandwich which must be served crisp is made from white bread, brushed lightly with butter, a crisp nasturtium leaf or spring of water cress, and a sliver of highly seasoned cold chicken, spread with a little mayonnaise.

Brown Bread Sandwiches—For this purpose use either Newfoundland or Philadelphia cream cheese. If the former is very hard you must moisten it a trifle with sweet milk or better still, cream. Add just a dash of paprika to give it taste and a little salt. Finally to each cheese, add half a cup of nut meats, ground in your meat chopper. English walnuts are best for this purpose. Almonds are all right in flavor. Spread this mixture on thin slices of brown bread, brushed with melted butter.

Salmon Salad—Remove the bones from a can of salmon and set on the ice until cold. Pick the salmon into ice cubes, add to it some minced celery and pickles and if they are liked, thinly sliced cucumbers. Season with paprika and pour over all a French dressing. Serve on crisp lettuce leaves.

Reception—Equal quantities of the breast of cold boiled chicken and tongue, put through food chopper. Season with celery salt, cayenne, anchovy paste and mayonnaise. A leaf of lettuce dipped in tarragon vinegar shaken and placed in sandwiches improves it.

In making any of these sandwiches the end may be cut from loaf of bread, then butter end of loaf thinly, spread with filling, and cut thin slices from loaf. May be then cut in triangles or fancy shapes.

CONCERNING WOMEN

More than 600 women are reported to be studying medicine at French universities. Paris alone is said to have 100 women practitioners, most of them holding official places of more or less importance. Women physicians are preferred in girls' high schools, normal schools and public schools generally.

Mrs. Hall Caine is a pretty, soft-voiced little woman, and is considered a wonderful wife. Not only is she a good housekeeper in her beautiful home, Greendale, Castle on the Edge of Man, but when the author of "The Eternal City" travels Mrs. Caine always accompanies him, acting in the capacity of secretary, which role she fills equally well.

The woman who considers herself hard worked in keeping up with society might take a lesson in usefulness from the life of Mme. Tolstoy. The countess, who was a woman of courtesies, born and bred to affluence, has met the difficulties which her husband's views entail with remarkable tact and wisdom. Despite the care of a large family, for she is the mother of thirteen children, and has the management of an estate, she finds time to assist her husband in literary labors. Count Tolstoy's writing is exceedingly difficult to decipher, and the patience with which his wife copies the books bears witness to her devotion. She has so studied her husband's vegetarian tastes that she is quoted as saying that she could give dinners on fruit, grains and vegetables 365 days in the year and never duplicate one.

Lady Majorie Manners, whose name has been linked with that of Prince Arthur of Connaught as his probable fiancée, is small and dark, with a strangely white little face and large dark eyes. She is an intimate friend of Prince Arthur's sister, the charming Princess Patricia. Another of her intimates is Miss Viola Tree, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Beerbaum Tree. She is a daughter of the Duchess of Rutland, a leader in the ultra-artistic set, and has of late developed what is said to be a beautiful singing voice, and is devoting much time to its culture. Prince Arthur has often been termed "the royal office boy," as he is so often sent on special missions to foreign parts, and is always the representative of the King at funerals of people of importance. He is called the hardest working member of the Royal family.

A great change will no doubt take place in German life now that the Prussian government has decreed that women may have the advantages of higher education. The woman who has probably done more to bring about the change than any one else is Frau Helene Lange, and she has been ably seconded by Prof. Adolph Harnack of the university of Berlin. Women may now enter all the technical schools with the exception of the art academies, and no doubt this restriction will soon be removed. Girls will take a specially arranged course, beginning at the age of 6 and continuing for seven years. At the end of that time studies will be differentiated and those preparing for a higher course will take special studies. After four years' work they will be eligible for the universities and then for the first time there will be coeducation. They have

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How very true this is. How very seldom do we meet a woman who is uniformly kind in speech and manner. And when we do meet her, what a pleasure it is. A woman can do anything if she makes up her mind to do it, and being kind can be managed by the most irritable and bad-tempered woman if she sticks consistently to it. (Whenever you feel yourself losing your temper and being moved to cross words, just say to yourself: "I will give way.") Keep your mouth closed if you cannot speak pleasantly and try to smile. After all, most of the things we lose our temper about are not worth a moment's worry. I have known two women to quarrel about the proper way to cook an egg, and I have seen a well-dressed woman lose her temper and scold the colored porter like a vixen because she was put in the wrong sleeper.

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The racing was very fair, and on the whole an improvement on the day before. For one thing, the starting was better, notwithstanding the fact that in the third race the two first choices of the public were practically left at the post. On this occasion, however, it was the consensus of opinion that the starter was not to blame. The Maid of Gotham from the St. James stable, started to turn just as the gate was lifted, and before she was properly straightened again the field had left flat-footed at the same time.

Pointer for the Books

One thing the bookies might remember is that even in Victoria it is not conducive to popular racing to have two or three favorites at even money or odds on in a small field. The public will stand for a good deal where there is so little racing as in Victoria, but they do like a run for their money, and a chance to back their choice. In the fourth race some of the bookies would not lay Al. Lindley at all, while 6 to 5 was the best that could ever be got about La Taranta. Consequently it was with considerable satisfaction that it was found that the wise ones were off in their calculations for once. Al. Lindley did not get into the money at all, and La Taranta came in first with a lot of good money on her.

Olga S. the Victor

The opening event was a trot in which there were five entries. Olga S., owned by H. C. Marshall, and driven by Riplinger, was the favorite from the outset, and by winning three straight heats fully justified the confidence of the public. Other competitors were H. M. C., owner C. Hanthur, driver E. White; Amy S., owner Hector Stuart, driver Robson; Minnie May, owner George Rice, driver Mr. Rice, and Cresscut, owner A. Fairfull, driver Millington.

In the initial contest there was some difficulty in lining up but, once they got started, they went away as prettily bunched as could be desired. Olga S. and H. M. C. were steady and fast. As a matter of fact none showed any

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inclination to break with the possible exception of Cresscut, a Victoria owned trotter, which once or twice disorganized a first class beginning by going up in the air. The two mentioned, however, drew ahead and remained in that position, Olga S. coming under the wire in the lead with H. M. C. following close. Amy S. and Cresscut at the tail end of the procession.

In the second heat, which was uneventful, with the exception that the one was lowered from 2:25 1/2 to 2:23 the outcome was the same. Olga S. again nosed under the wire well in the lead with H. M. C. behind. There was an interesting struggle between Minnie May and Cresscut as to which should take the end place, the outcome of which was a victory for the latter.

The final was called after the first running event. Again Olga S. proved triumphant. She won by a good margin, thus capturing first money. H. M. C. was second and the others followed in the usual order. Time 2:23 1/2.

Favorites Win

In the initial running event there was a five horse race. The favorite was Millsong, owner Fitzgerald and ridden by Jockey Riley, while the popular second choice was Muskoday, owner J. E. Dodge, with Jockey Sullivan up. It was a one mile race for a purse of \$150. Starter Greout got them off well together after a comparatively short delay. Millsong was away on the jump Muskoday being slightly handicapped, being fifth away. However, the first quarter hadn't been covered before they began to string out and the second choice forged ahead as soon as settling down to the pace. At the stretch Millsong and Muskoday were leading with scarcely a length intervening, and before the post was reached the latter was forging alongside the leader. This was the position at the end and the crowd rose to its feet to witness the struggle. Both jockeys drove their mounts hard, and the outcome was in the order which the wise ones had surmised. The time was 1:46 4-5.

Popular Choices Left

The third race was by no means as satisfactory to the popular idea. There were six starters and the conditions set down that it should be a half-mile run for a \$150 purse. Ravaria, owner Stone, with Jockey Brimtown up, and E. C. Runt, owner T. R. Mahones, ridden by Jockey Riley, were first and second choices respectively, while there were many who fancied the Maid of Gotham from the St. James stable, with Lycurgus in the saddle. At the start both Ravaria and the Maid were not prepared when the tape shot away. The former was last, while the pony from St. James Island was the fifth to join the procession. E. C. Runt had jumped into the running directly behind the Belle of Portland, and was unable to pass the latter despite the driving of Jockey Riley. And so those who had heavily backed the favorites were doomed to witness their selections, as the position never changed throughout. The races flashed by the grandstand after the first time round in the same places, and so they finished. True Runt made a gallant rally and Jockey Riley tried desperately to pull up on the leader, but the effort was futile. Belle of Portland, who is owned by W. P. Maxwell, and was ridden by Jockey Rettig, took the premier honors with a comfortable margin. The time was 50 1-5.

The fourth race was four furlongs for a \$150 purse, the winner to be sold for \$250. Out of sixteen entries only five faced the starter. Al. Lindley was made a hot favorite, but he cut no figure in the race. La Taranta was also much fancied and brought home the money for her backers. They got off to a good start, Taranta, owned by Riplinger and ridden by Small, making nearly all the running. She took the lead at the start and was only headed once when Dolly got her nose in front for a short time, but the mare could not hold her head and dropped back, beaten out for second place by Agnolia. Dolly made a great run. She was away last and was driven to the front but could not stay home. La Taranta winning handsly.

Blondy's Great Run.

The six furlongs was a pretty race, though the issue was never in doubt, as from the time the horses passed the stand for the first time never changed evident that Blondy held the front safe. When he arrived he was touted as the best horse at the track, and his performance yesterday looked as if rumor for once were true. The start was a very fair one, though Blondy had a little the worst of it.

The weight though he was soon made up lost ground and once he got in front he was never headed. He won easily by a clear length. Monvina and Zelina fought it out in the stretch for second place, but the latter failed a

little in the stretch and Monvina's extra turn of speed brought her into the money. The winner was well ridden by McIntyre, who knew enough to let his horse win his own race. Blondy was a hot favorite, starting odds on, while of the other four starters Zelina was preferred, being backed down three to two. It should be added that Blondy's time, 1:17, is within 1/4 second of the track record.

In the sixth and last race, a three-quarters mile selling race, Retting won his second victory of the day on Silver Wedding. Again the favorite failed to get into the money, for while Silver Wedding opened at 3 to 2 he eased up to 2 to 1. The best Jack Adams, an even money chance, could do was to finish third. John J. Mohr, who was also much fancied at 2 1/2 to 1, could only finish last but one in a field of six. Silver Wedding won without much trouble, though Litholin, the second horse, was driven hard, coming in length in front of Jack Adams, the favorite. The other three horses had little or nothing to do with the race, and seemed outclassed. Metlakatla showed up in the stretch, but the pace was too hot and she never got near the leaders. There were no bids for the winner in this race nor did any horse change hands yesterday after any of the races.

Today's Entries

The programme and entries for today's races follows:

First race, 2:20 pace, 3 in 5, 1 mile—Amy S., Olga S., Minnie May, Earlwood, Elhu B., Cashmont, Ikora.

Second race, seven-eighths mile, selling, Mayors' purse—Maxim Gorky, 105; Christmaste, 105; Santa Clara, 105; Beautiful and Best, 105; Bonaventure, 105; Little Joker, 105; Agnolia, 105; Metlakatla, 105; Max, 105.

Third race, five-eighths mile, Tourist purse—Dr. Scharff, 119; Bonheur, 113; Victorienne Hamon, 113; Fort Wayne, 119; Belle of Portland, 119; E. C. Runt, 119; Magnificence, 119; Belle Bottle, 119; Dainty Morsel, 119; Maid of Gotham, 97.

Fourth race, one mile, selling, Empruss purse—Em and Em, \$300, 107; Silver Wedding, \$300, 110; Legal Form, \$200, 104; Dave Webber, \$200, 104; La Taranta, \$300, 107; Our Salie, \$200, 104; Ripper, \$200, 104; Jewell, \$200, 104; Raratani, \$200, 96.

Fifth race, six furlongs, Secretary's handicap—Blondy, 122; Cobleskill, 117; Nappa, 108; Jack Adams, 112; Pepper and Salt, 108; Ravaria, 119.

Sixth race, half-mile heats, 2 in 3, harness, B. C. colts—Nellie Morris, Belle Wilkins, Hazel Wilkins.

**VANCOUVER ASKED
TO TOUR AUSTRALIA****Britishers Convey Invitation to
the Terminal City Rugby
Football Club**

Vancouver, Sept. 24.—With an invitation from the New South Wales Rugby union for Vancouver to send a team to Australia, Manager Harnett of the Anglo-Welsh team will tonight meet the officials of the Vancouver Rugby union to place a proposition before them.

It was known to Rugby men on the inside that a visit from a British Columbia team would be welcomed by the Australians, and when Mr. Harnett was in the Antipodes he was delegated by the Australian union to approach the Vancouver officials and make what arrangements he thought fit for sending a team over. The Australians are prepared to treat the British Columbians liberally in the matter of expenses, and the scheme will be fully discussed at a private meeting tonight at 6:15 o'clock.

It would be a great advertisement for the province if Vancouver decided to send a team next season, and no doubt the government would come through with a grant to the tourists. The New South Wales team will be here at the end of the season, and if Vancouver decides to send a team to the Antipodes no doubt the arrangement will be clinched then.

Baseball Show

Yesterday morning the members of the Anglo-Welsh team turned out at Brockton point and worked off a little of the stiffness acquired on the voyage from Australia. In the afternoon they were taken to see the baseball game between Vancouver and Butte, and the majority of them were not favorably impressed with the American national game. It will

come as a surprise to baseball men who have been accustomed to see a cricket as a pink tea game to learn that these sturdy Rugby men were of opinion that baseball was too slow! "I don't think much of the game," remarked one husky forward. "It's altogether too tame. There is no movement or life to it, and when you have seen some of the things you have seen here, you will see what we mean. We thought, 'Well, we heard of the game that we were going to see something wildly exciting, but the only feature which appealed to us was the wonderfully quick work with the ball. The outfield and basemen are extremely smart and accurate, and the close fielding was delightful, but for the game itself, in my opinion, there is more excitement in five minutes of Rugby, lacrosse or your national game, ice hockey, than in twenty years of this American importation. There seems to be no sportsmanship about baseball, but, of course, professional ball will account for that."

New York Challenges

Yesterday the Daily Province received a communication from M. P. Bensley, secretary of the Crescent Athletic club of Brooklyn, N.Y., asking the sporting department to forward a letter to Manager Harnett of the British team containing a request for a game against New York. Mr. Bensley said:

"I shall be very much obliged by your having the enclosed letter delivered to Manager Harnett of the British team, which is now on its way home from Australia. I understand that the team is due to play a game in your city about September 24, and the enclosed is in reference to a game which I wish to arrange in this city (New York) against the New York team. I should like to return through this port. I am anxious to know Mr. Harnett's intentions in order to make the necessary preparations. Should you know anything definite regarding the route to be taken I should be obliged if you would communicate with me."

The proposal contained in the enclosure for Manager Harnett was put before a committee meeting yesterday afternoon at the conclusion of which Mr. Harnett said that the movements of the team could not be settled until something was heard from Toronto.

A plan was on foot for a game in the Ontario city, and the Toronto people were cabled from Honolulu, but up to this night no reply had been received, and until it is known what Toronto is going to do the challenge from New York cannot be dealt with.

BASEBALL RESULTS

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Mr. and Mrs. Phil Austin have returned to town from their honeymoon trip.

Mr. Ernest Price, of Duncan, is spending in town for Exhibition week.

Mr. Cantwell, from Saanichton, is spending a few days in the city.

Mr. P. W. Irvine, from Shanghai, China, is on a short visit to Victoria.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Leather are down from Duncan for the exhibition.

Mr. and Mrs. Lent, of Calgary, are staying at the Empress.

J. H. Hamilton, of Revelstoke, is at the Empress.

Lee Blakemore, of Kansas City, is a guest at the Empress.

John Egan, of Winnipeg, is visiting Victoria. He is staying at the Empress.

J. Berwick Orgill and Miss Orgill, of London, England, who are touring the west, are registered at the Empress.

E. J. Mathews has come over from Seattle on business. He is staying at the Empress.

W. P. Unwin arrived from Winnipeg yesterday. He is a guest at the Empress.

F. B. Pemberton left this morning on the steamer Charnier bound to Calgary.

Miss E. Russell was a passenger to Vancouver this morning by the steamer Charnier.

H. S. Rolton, the well known horse-owner, left this morning for Vancouver on the steamer Charnier.

Mrs. Young went to Vancouver this morning as a passenger of the steamer Charnier.

Mrs. J. E. Church and family intended leaving for San Francisco to make their home there on October 3.

Capt. Huges, R. E., of the Work Point garrison, left for Vancouver by the steamer Charnier this morning.

T. M. Henderson, of Vancouver, arrived by the steamer Princess Victoria from Seattle yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles S. Birch, from North Saanich, are down in town for Exhibition week.

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Dr. and Mrs. L. Macmillan, of Vancouver, who have been visiting friends in Victoria, left for home yesterday.

Herr Hubert H. T. Gabler, from Munich, is spending a short time in Victoria.

Mrs. D. Burgess, from Santa Rosa, is on a visit to town, and is staying at the Driard.

Mrs. J. J. Zimmerman, Mrs. J. H. Ennesfelder and Miss Sophia Smith, from San Jose, are visiting in Victoria.

Mr. Hamilton, from Salt Spring Island, is spending the week in town for the Exhibition.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Hobbs, from Los Angeles, are spending a few days in Victoria.

Mr. George Lawson, Mr. P. Lawson, Miss Lawson and Mr. Lighthouse, from Friday Harbor, are visiting in the city.

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Mr. A. E. Silverwood, from London, England, is enjoying a visit to Victoria and is staying at the Empress.

T. W. Morgan returned from a short visit to Seattle by the steamer Princess Victoria yesterday morning.

Dr. R. L. Fraser, of Douglas street, returned by the steamer Princess Victoria yesterday from Seattle.

Dr. George Hall was a passenger on the steamer Princess Victoria from Seattle yesterday.

Mrs. Harry O'Leary and son returned from a visit to the Sound on the steamer Princess Victoria yesterday.

Mrs. J. B. McKilligan returned from a visit to Seattle as a passenger of the steamer Princess Victoria yesterday morning.

Miss Leigh-Spencer, of Vancouver, was a passenger from Seattle on the steamer Princess Victoria yesterday morning.

E. E. Blackwood, agent of the Great Northern railroad, was a passenger from Seattle yesterday on the steamer Princess Victoria.

Mrs. E. W. Gray and Miss R. Wright, are among the passengers for Skagway, booked for the steamer Princess Beatrice.

Louis Marks, of the Hamilton Powder works, was among the Victorians bound to Vancouver on the steamer Charnier this morning.

H. Mortimer Lamb, secretary of the Mining Institute, left by the steamer Charnier this morning on his way back to Montreal.

Miss E. H. B. Bryce left yesterday by the steamer Princess Victoria and C.P.R. on her way to Toronto to attend college.

Rev. R. Connel, of Victoria West, and wife, and Mrs. Hodgson expect to leave for California on the steamer Governor on October 3.

E. Corfield, Mrs. H. Cooper, Mrs. L.

Hawson and Mrs. S. A. Craig, are among the passengers booked for the steamer President on Sept. 28.

H. A. Brown, of Seattle, northwestern passenger agent of the New York, Chicago and St. Louis railroad, spent yesterday in the city on business.

Mrs. Roake Robertson left on the steamer Princess Royal on Wednesday on her way to Toronto over the Northern Pacific railway.

Paul Englehardt, of Belcher street, left yesterday by the steamer Princess Royal and the North Coast Limited train over the Northern Pacific railway for New York.

Mr. A. H. B. McGowan, M.P.P. for Vancouver, arrived in town last evening from Vancouver on a business trip, and returns home tonight.

Dr. and Mrs. C. L. Bennett, who have come up from Aguascalientes, Mexico, registered at the Tourist association's rooms yesterday.

Among the many visitors from the old country at present visiting town is Mr. C. E. Bloomer, from Birmingham, who is staying at the Driard.

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Mr. H. O. Hobbs left yesterday on a visit to the Old Country via New York. He expects to return to Victoria in time for Christmas.

G. C. S. Lindsay, of the Crow's Nest Pass Coal company, and wife and Miss Herchmer, left by the steamer Princess Victoria yesterday on their way to Fernie.

F. D. Hodge left yesterday by the steamer Princess Victoria bound to Liverpool. He will take passage from New York on the Cunard line steamer Carmania.

Misses Buckley and Wilson, who have been spending a few days at the Empress hotel, and who arrived recently from Yokohama, left yesterday by the steamer Princess Royal on their way to New York and Liverpool.

H. A. Bonn, northwestern passenger agent of the Nickel Plate railroad, was in the city yesterday. He was accompanied by Joseph B. Dwyer, agent at Seattle for the Western Transit company.

A. J. Smith and wife left on the steamer Princess Victoria yesterday afternoon on their way to Montreal, where they will join the C.P.R. steamer Empress of Britain, bound to Liverpool on Oct. 2.

Will Spencer, of David Spencer & Co., Ltd., left for New York this morning by the steamer Charnier on a business trip. He will be accompanied as far as Toronto by Misses Nellie and Flossie Spencer and Miss Brown, daughter of P. R. Brown, who are bound to Toronto to attend college.

D. Beyer, a banker, of Grinnell, Iowa,

left yesterday by the Princess Victoria for his home, accompanied by his daughter, taking the remains of Mrs. Beyer, who died at the Provincial Royal Jubilee hospital as a result of illness contracted while travelling on the Pacific coast, for interment in her home city.

TOKEN OF ESTEEM

Miss Bailey Presented With Address By Metropolitan Church Young People

Just before the departure of Miss Bertha Bailey, who has been associated with the young people's society of the Metropolitan Methodist church for years as organist, for the east where she will continue her musical studies, her fellow members met and presented her with a mark of their appreciation. It consisted of a handsome writing portfolio and an address. The latter follows:

Metropolitan Church, Victoria, B.C., Sept. 19, 1908. Dear Miss Bertha Bailey,—It is with regret that we have learned that we are about to lose your valuable service as organist of our church. We cannot allow you to leave us without expressing our deep appreciation of the devotion, the ability and the cheerfulness of the services you have rendered. The success of the class is in no small measure due to your faithful work at the organ as well as the bright testimony that you have so often given. We wish you every success in the continuance of your musical education and trust that you may be a still greater blessing in the new associations which you will form. We shall await with pleasant anticipation the time when you return and we desire you to take up again the work which you are now leaving on your return. Our prayers whenever we meet together on Sunday morning class will mingle together for God's providence to watch over you whilst you are away and to bring you back way by your visit to the east. Will you kindly accept the writing portfolio as a small token of the love and esteem which every member of the class bears to you. Signed on behalf of the members.

G. T. BOULDING, Leader.

Exhibition Tombola

The winner of the second prize in Tuesday's exhibition tombola, H. Brooker, presented his card, No. 10098, at the offices of J. A. Smart, the secretary, yesterday and received the award of \$10. P. J. A. Andrew, of the Canadian Bank of Commerce, was the fortunate individual in connection with Wednesday's drawing. He held No. 4836, which carried off the \$25 prize. Yesterday's winners follow: No. 5973, \$25; No. 6698, \$10; No. 7450, \$5; No. 9332, \$5; No. 14231, \$5. Those possessing tickets corresponding to the above are requested to present them as early as possible today.

AMUSEMENTS

Why "The Clansman" Was Written.

Thomas Dixon, jr., the author of "The Clansman," the much discussed reconstruction play, which will be seen on Oct. 4, at the Victoria theatre,

said recently of his work: "I have been accused of writing my books and plays for money only. This is a cheap assertion, one that is stamped with falsehood on its very face. Books written merely to make money never make it. Books which attain tremendous success have within them the tremendous emotional impulses of their authors—impulses big and vital, that throb and pulsate, take hold of their readers, grip them, and send them across the way to tell their neighbors. My books were written under such an impulse. I had something to say, couldn't keep silent, said it simply, passionately, boldly without apology, trimming or lying. And the people hear it gladly. I do not need to assert its truth. Those who read and see know it is true. Yet as a standing challenge to my critics I offer one thousand dollars reward for the discovery of a single historical error in "The Clansman!"

The New Grand.

The New Grand is doing regular fair week business, being crowded at every show. The bill is a fine one and includes the two Vivians, wonderful sharpshooters, Louise Henry, "The Sal Skinner Girl," Jimmie Francis Sullivan, Irish comedian; Harry Thornton, pianologue and imitations; Brook and Vedder in "The New Housemaid," Thomas J. Price, singing the illustrated songs "Down the new moving pictures entitled "The Affairs of the Select Hotel" and "Lady James Flight," and as an overture "The Band is Coming," a characteristic patrol by Engelmann.

Colchester Election Case

Halfway, Sept. 24.—The case of Fletcher vs. Stanfield, the Colchester election case, is set down for tomorrow, but is not expected to proceed. It is understood the defence will move that the case be not proceeded with.

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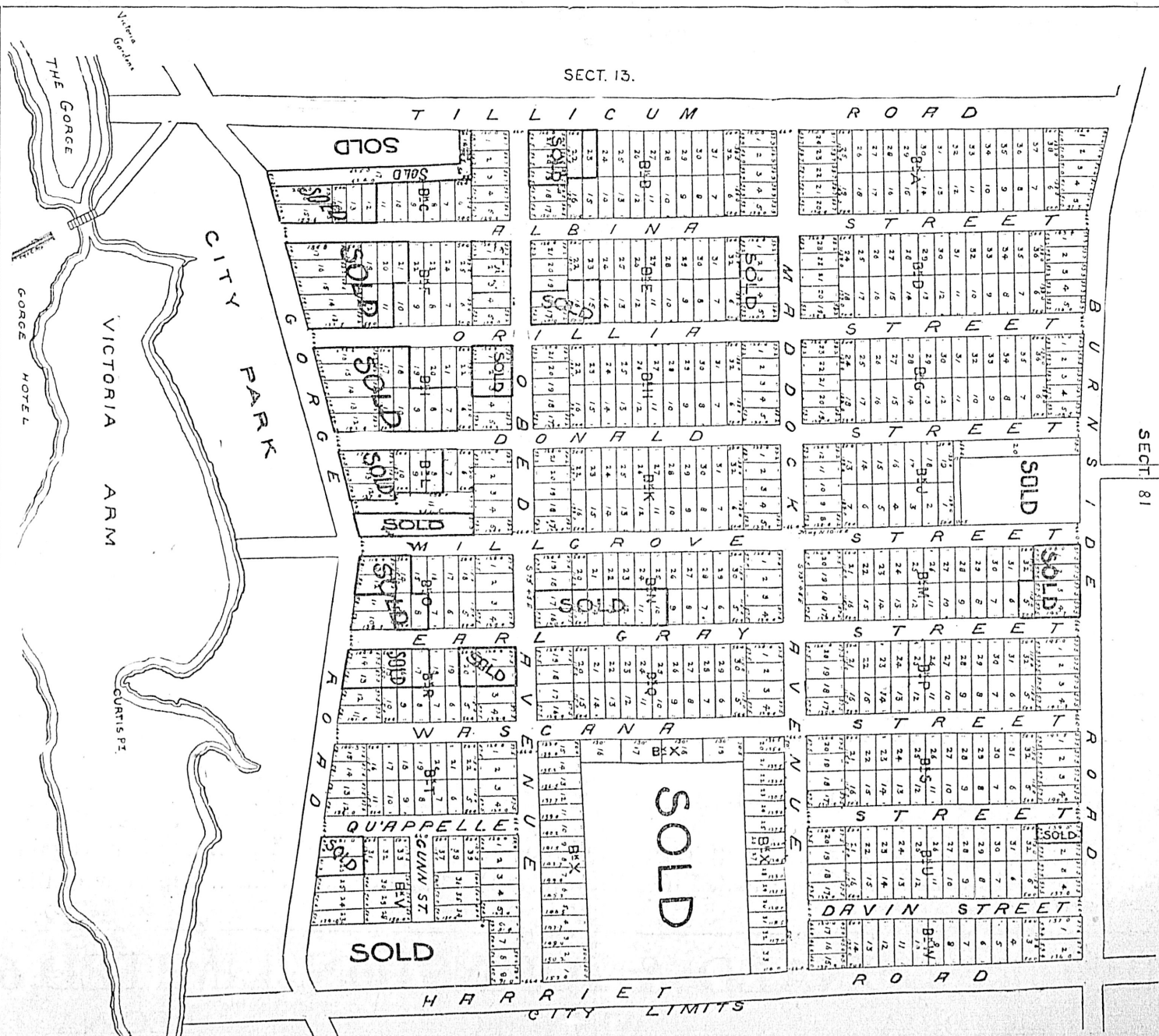
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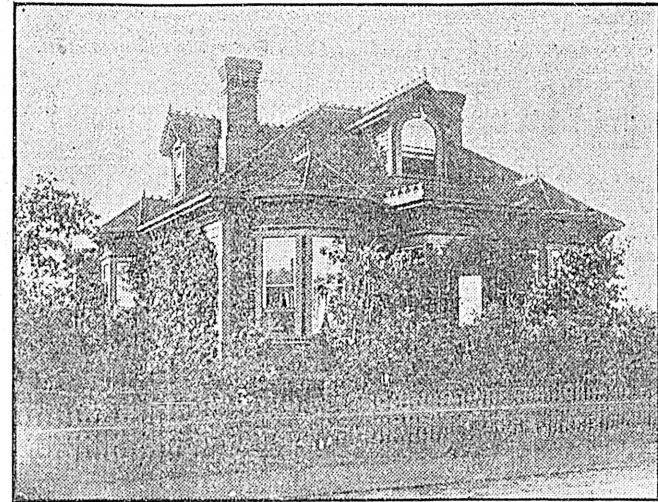


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Horace Wright and George Hine Lost in Monday's Storm

New Westminster, Sept. 24.—Horace Wright, foreman of the Phoenix salmon cannery at Steveston, and his brother-in-law, George Hine, fisherman, of Fort Langley, were drowned off the mouth of the Fraser river in a gale which raged late on Monday night and early on Tuesday.

Both men, who were young and strong and expert fishermen, left Steveston on Monday evening for Woodward's slough. Mrs. Wright did not feel any great anxiety until Wednesday regarding the non-arrival of her husband. Late yesterday afternoon and last night, however, search parties were out. The boat used by the two men was found away over towards the Point Roberts shore. The salmon net was still attached to it, but there was no sign of life aboard. The weather had been so rough that there is no hope that the two men have escaped. Tugs are out today making a search of the shore for the bodies.

Mr. Wright leaves a wife and three small children residing at Steveston. His father, John Wright, is a stationer in business on Westminster avenue, Vancouver. Hine was a young man whose parents have resided at Fort Langley for a number of years.

BLACK HAND MEN

Members of Fernie Gang Get Terms in Penitentiary—Brought to New Westminster

New Westminster, Sept. 24.—The provincial police succeeded in crushing out the Black Hand organization which was discovered at Fernie just before the disastrous fire, and three prisoners, brought down to the British Columbia penitentiary yesterday, by Constables Leacey and Morris, reminded the public that their noxious doctrines will not be permitted on Canadian soil. The men convicted are Dominic Marzla, seven years; Frank Oliverisse, six years and six months; and Stepheno Bruno, six years. Two others, Frank Brucho and Lanzinto Santori, convicted and ordered to serve six years and three months, and two years respectively, will come here in a few days. Four other members of this Mafia organization will serve terms at Nelson, the authorities being determined to root out the poisonous weed of blackmail from the province.

Two of the men escaped from prison and gave the police five days' hard work recapturing them. Constable Leacey was obliged to fire at one, and another took refuge on an island, where he was found after diligent search by the police, concealed in the undergrowth.

Fall Proves Fatal

Nelson, Sept. 24.—There expired in the Home hospital this morning at 1 o'clock Alfred Grower, Englishman, bridge builder, from injuries received in a fall from a bridge at Coykendall, fifty miles west of here, fracturing his skull.

NELSON'S FAIR

Fine Display and Large Attendance at the Kootenay Capital's Exhibition

Nelson, Sept. 24.—The attendance at the sixth annual Nelson agricultural and industrial fair opening yesterday was the largest on record. The fair was opened by Mayor Taylor. An interesting feature of the fair was an exhibit by Earl Grey, Governor-general of Canada, from his ranch on Kootenay lake, which is now under option to William R. Heast, winning a minor prize. The fruit exhibits cover the country from the Boundary to the Rockies. Market notice was taken of exhibits of fruit grown in a dozen different localities on mountain sides and in valleys 3,000 feet and upwards above sea level. Among the exhibits are apples of all the high priced varieties, which are placed on the market in first class condition. On the industrial side was an exhibit of all varieties of copper, lead, zinc, gold, silver and iron ores, hematite and apatite, with the market product of the Consolidated company, of Trail, electrolytic lead manufactured into lead pipe and ingots for export to Canadian, Oriental and Australian markets. Yet another part of the fair was an exhibit of finished lumber in the fittings and furniture of framed houses, being the inception of a new industry in Kootenay. Power is supplied by the municipal electric plant, now doubling its former capacity, although barely one year installed. An exhibit of electric fittings for various domestic purposes is made by the city, which is encouraging the use of electricity for all domestic purposes as well as supplying power at cost to small manufacturers, many of which are being attracted to this city.

The magistrates of Dundee presented Mr. Winston Churchill with a solid silver tazza or fruit dish as a marriage present.

PRESBYTERY STANDS BY REV. DR. PRINGLE

Resolution Passed at Eburne Meeting Strongly Approves His Course

New Westminster, Sept. 24.—The work of the Rev. John Pringle on behalf of moral reform in Yukon Territory was strongly vindicated in a resolution passed by the Westminster Presbytery at a meeting held at Eburne. The resolution was moved by Rev. J. Knox Wright and seconded by Rev. Dr. Peter Wright as follows:

"Whereas Rev. Dr. John Pringle, late Presbyterian missionary in the Yukon, has been severely assailed for his fearless exposure of social crimes in the city of Dawson, therefore

"Resolved, (1) That this Presbytery does hereby place on record its entire confidence in Dr. Pringle's manly Christian character and its unqualified appreciation of his courageous efforts to elevate social life and promote civic righteousness. (2) That this Presbytery records its attitude to God for the heroic spirit with which He has

inspired Dr. Pringle and many other missionaries of our church in their stern conflict with the forces of evil in the newer parts of our land, and for the mighty influence they have wielded in the cause of civic, social and domestic purity, thus becoming a terror to evildoers while earning the grateful praise of all good citizens; and (3) This Presbytery rejoices in the well attested fact that the earnest struggles on behalf of social purity and civic righteousness in that far north land have been so conspicuously fruitful in blessing that a new and democratic city like Dawson compares favorably today for its observance of law and order with many of the older cities of our Dominion, and that this moral and social uplift has been achieved largely through the self-denying and persistent efforts of Rev. Dr. Pringle and other faithful ministers and missionaries of our church in the Yukon."

Rev. R. J. Wilson was appointed moderator of the Presbytery for the remainder of the year.

Revelstoke to Raise Money

Revelstoke, Sept. 24.—Polling for the by-law authorizing the borrowing of \$10,000 on debentures for the purpose of completing the auxiliary power and light plant took place on Monday, with the result that the by-law was carried, although by a very narrow margin.

GOLD IN INGENIKA

Favorable Report Brought Back By Vancouver Men Who Visited New Diggings

Vancouver, Sept. 24.—Frank Watson, Henry Bodine and R. W. Thompson, who left here in February with winter mail for the New Ingenika diggings, returned today. They are experienced mining men, and declare that the Ingenika is very rich. On this creek, Rosenthal and A. Manson are getting out from one to two ounces of gold per day. There are forty men in camp, many doing well, but provisions are very scarce, and they are living on moose. On McConnell creek there are twenty-five men, but it is deep digging, and they are not yet at bedrock. They are averaging ten to twelve dollars per day per man.

Westminster Liberals

New Westminster, Sept. 24.—The Liberal faction of the divided local Liberal party won a signal victory at a meeting for the purpose of electing delegates to the nominating convention next week, only two Kennedy men being elected out of a total of 48 delegates. As this city furnishes nearly 50 per cent of the delegates to the convention, the nomination of Mr.

IMPORTANT

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Robert Jardine as the Liberal candidate is conceded on all sides. Mr. Jardine was nominated in November of last year, but resigned a few weeks ago because of the strenuous opposition of Mr. Kennedy's friends.

WARNED OF WINTER

Fernie People Reminded of Necessity of Completing Houses—Snow in Mountains

Fernie, B. C., Sept. 24.—Trains arriving from the east report snow having fallen to the depth of four inches at Crow's Nest, the summit of the Crow's Nest Pass, and extending east as far as Frank and Pincher. The weather west of the summit has not been so bad, still light snow has fallen at this place today, but more particularly on the mountains. Building operations are very brisk these days, and everyone is doing his utmost to get buildings up and in good shape for the winter.

SKEENA IS LOW

Steamer Hazelton Delayed Eight Miles Below Hazelton—River Falling Rapidly

Hazelton, B. C., Sept. 24.—The steamer Hazelton is delayed by low water eight miles below Hazelton. The river has been falling rapidly, but until this trip the Hazelton has been able to make her way to this point though the Port Simpson has been obliged to stop at the canyon.

Walkem Case Adjourned

Vancouver, Sept. 24.—The Walkem case has been adjourned till Saturday.

Vancouver's Bank Clearings

Vancouver, Sept. 24.—For the first time this year, bank clearings today showed an increase. Total \$4,378,846, compared with \$4,374,936 for the corresponding week last year.

Vanderbilt Divorce

New York, Sept. 24.—Justice Gerald today in the supreme court signed the final decree of absolute divorce in favor of Elsie French Vanderbilt from Alfred Gwynne Vanderbilt. The custody of the one child, William Henry Vanderbilt, now six years of age, is given to the mother.

Bold Robbery on Broadway

New York, Sept. 23.—In the full glare of the brightest spot in the evening on Broadway, with a stream of theatregoers within a few feet of her, Mrs. S. F. Stewart, who lives in Gramercy park, was choked, knocked down and robbed of her chanelle bag tonight as she was about to descend the subway stairs. Mrs. Stewart described her assailant as a fashionably dressed, good-looking man, apparently 30 years old.

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 MEN'S RAGLAN OVERCOATS, cut from \$17.50 to..... **\$7.75**
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IMMENSE FRAUDS IN IMPORT OF CHINESE

Deep Laid Scheme Laid Bare With Assistance of Victoria Merchant

With the assistance of Lee Mong Kow, of this city as interpreter, F. C. T. O'Hara, deputy minister of Trade and Commerce and Commissioner of Chinese Immigration, has unearthed the greatest fraud ever perpetrated in connection with the entry of Chinese into Canada. Mong Kow left for the east a few weeks ago, and since his arrival there the suspicions of the department as to the illicit traffic have been confirmed.

The culminating point of the story, which is a long one, was reached on Saturday, in Montreal, when as a result of personal examination by Mr. O'Hara of a number of recently arrived Celestials the whole fabric of the bold scheme was laid bare.

Certificates from Mexico

About a year ago a number of Chinese began to arrive at Halifax in possession of certificates signed at the Chinese legation at Mexico City, and describing them as merchants. When the present investigation opened, Chinese bearing similar certificates, commenced to arrive in Montreal. The sudden invasion of Canada from the east excited a good deal of suspicion amongst the officials, and the matter was reported to Ottawa. While the officials were almost certain that fraud was being perpetrated on the department, they had no absolute proof. From information received the department finally became convinced that a syndicate had undertaken to land Chinese in Canada, and had been able, by false representations, to secure the necessary certificates from the Chinese legation at Mexico City.

There were a number of circumstances which aroused the suspicion of the Canadian officials. All new arrivals admitted that he had been in Mexico only a few months, and all had the same story to tell that business was dull in Mexico and they had decided to come to Canada to open up in business here.

It is estimated that since the frauds commenced a year ago the government has lost one hundred and fifty thousand dollars in poll tax, which means that three hundred Chinese have entered as merchants, thereby escaping the poll tax of five hundred dollars, which the ordinary Chinaman must pay. It is not believed that they can be successfully traced, but such steps will be taken that there will be no continuance of the fraud.

Were British Subjects

The most recent arrivals, those examined by Mr. O'Hara in Montreal on Saturday, consist of a lot of ten brought on the Elder Dempster steamer Borna from Mexico City. Two who came to Canada on the Virginian bore letters from the colonial office to the effect that they were British subjects, which makes no difference; another party of three from Merida, in Yucatan, came over the New York Central from New York in bond, and carried certificates as merchants, issued by the State of Yucatan, and undoubtedly secured by fraud.

Senior bull calf—1, Inverholme Stock Farm, Ladner.
 Junior bull calf, calved on or after Jan. 1, 1908—1, Inverholme Stock Farm, Ladner; 2, Jos. Tamboline, Westham Island.
 Champion bull—1, Inverholme Stock Farm, Ladner.
 Cow, three years and over—1, Jos. Tamboline, Westham Island; 2, 3 and 4, Inverholme Stock Farm, Ladner.
 Heifer, two years—1, Inverholme Stock Farm, Ladner.
 Heifer, senior yearling—1, Inverholme Stock Farm, Ladner.
 Junior yearling, calved on or after Jan. 1, 1907—1, Inverholme Stock Farm, Ladner.

Senior heifer calf—1, Joseph Tamboline, Westham Island.

Junior heifer calf, calved on or after Jan. 1, 1908—1, Joseph Tamboline, Westham Island.

Champion female—Silver medal, Inverholme Stock Farm, Ladner.

Herd, bull and four females, any age—1, Inverholme Stock Farm, Ladner; 2, Joseph Tamboline, Westham Island; 3, Inverholme Stock Farm, Ladner.

Herd, bull and three females, all under two years—1, Joseph Tamboline, Westham Island.

Three animals, any age or sex, the get of one bull, owned by one exhibitor—1, Inverholme Stock Farm, Ladner; 2, Joseph Tamboline, Westham Island.

Cow and two of her progeny—1, Inverholme Stock Farm, Ladner; 2, Jos. Tamboline, Westham Island.

Herd, bull and three females, females to be bred in British Columbia, Alberta or Saskatchewan—1, Inverholme Stock Farm, Ladner; 2, Jos. Tamboline, Westham Island.

Class 2—Herefords.

Bull, three years or over—1 and 2, James Bray, Victoria.

Bull, senior yearling—1, James Bray, Victoria.

Bull, junior yearling, calved on or after Jan. 1, 1907—1, James Bray, Victoria.

Bull calf, senior—1, James Bray, Victoria.

Bull calf, junior, calved on or after Jan. 1, 1908—1 and 2, James Bray, Victoria.

Champion Bull, any age—Diploma, James Bray, Victoria.

Cow, three years or over—1, 2, and 3, James Bray, Victoria.

Heifer, two years—1, 2, and 3, Jas. Bray, Victoria.

Heifer, senior yearling—1, James Bray, Victoria.

Heifer, junior yearling, calved on or after Jan. 1, 1907—1, James Bray, Victoria.

Heifer, junior calf, calved on or after Jan. 1, 1908—1, James Bray, Victoria.

Champion female, any age—1, James Bray, Victoria.

Herd, bull and four females any age, owned by one exhibitor—1 and 2, James Bray, Victoria.

Herd, bull and three females, all under two years—1 and 2, James Bray, Victoria.

Cow and two of her progeny, any age, owned by one exhibitor—1 and 2, James Bray, Victoria.

Three animals, any age or sex, the get of one bull, owned by one exhibitor—1, 2 and 3, James Bray, Victoria.

Class 6—Holsteins

Bull, three years or over—1, H. Bonsall, Chemicus.

Bull, one year—1, Bishop & Clarke, Victoria; 2, G. I. Corfield, Corfield.

Junior bull calf—1, H. Bonsall, Chemicus.

Junior bull calf—1, G. E. Knight, Chemicus; 2, H. Bonsall, Chemicus.

Champion bull, any age, Canadian Holstein-Friesian society—1, H. Bonsall, Chemicus.

Cow, three years or over—1 and 2, H. Bonsall, Chemicus; 3, G. I. Corfield, Corfield.

Heifer, two years—1, H. Bonsall, Chemicus; 2, G. I. Corfield, Corfield.

Senior heifer, yearling—1, G. T. Corfield, Corfield, B.C.; 2, and 3, H. Bonsall, Chemicus.

Junior heifer, yearling—1 and 2, Mr. Bonsall, Chemicus; 3, G. T. Corfield, Corfield.

Heifer calf, under one year—1, H. Bonsall, Chemicus; 2, G. T. Corfield, Corfield, B. C.; 3, H. Bonsall, Chemicus.

Champion female, any age—Diploma, H. Bonsall, Chemicus.

Herd, bull and four females, any age, owned by one exhibitor—1, H. Bonsall, Chemicus.

Herd, bull and three females, all under two years—1, H. Bonsall, Chemicus; 2, G. T. Corfield, Corfield.

Cow and two of her progeny, any age, owned by one exhibitor—1, H. Bonsall, Chemicus; 2, G. T. Corfield, Corfield.

Two calves under one year old, bred and owned by one exhibitor—1, H. Bonsall, Chemicus; 2, G. T. Corfield, Corfield.

Three animals, any age or sex, the get of one bull—1 and 2, H. Bonsall, Chemicus; 3, G. T. Corfield, Corfield.

Class 7—Ayrshires

Bull, three years old or over—1, A. C. Wells, Sards.

Bull, two years—1, Mr. Thompson, Chilliwack; 2, A. C. Wells, Sards.

Bull, one year—1, Mr. Thompson, Chilliwack; 2 and 3, A. C. Wells, Sards.

Senior bull calf—1, A. C. Wells, Sards; 2 and 3, Mr. Thompson, Chilliwack.

Champion bull, any age—1, A. C. Wells & Son, Sards; 2, Mr. Thompson, Chilliwack; 3, A. C. Wells & Son, Sards.

Cow, three years and over—1 and 2, A. C. Wells & Son, Sards.

Senior heifer, yearling—1, A. C. Wells and Son, Sards; 2, A. C. Wells and Son, Sards.

Junior heifer, yearling—1, A. C. Wells and Son, Sards; 2, A. C. Wells and Son, Sards.

Champion female, any age—1, A. C. Wells and Son, Sards.

Herd, bull and four females, any age, owned by one exhibitor—1, Bishop & Clarke, Victoria; 2, A. H. Menzies & Son, Pender Island.

Herd, bull and three females, all under two years of age—1, Bishop & Clarke, Victoria; 2, A. H. Menzies & Son, Pender Island; 3, Quick Bros., Royal Oak.

Two calves under one year old, bred and owned by one exhibitor—1, Bishop & Clarke, Victoria; 2, A. H. Menzies & Son, Pender Island.

Three animals, any age or sex, the get of one bull—1, Bishop & Clarke, Victoria; 2, Bishop & Clarke, Victoria; 3, A. H. Menzies & Son, Pender Island.

Champion female, any age—1, Quick Bros., Royal Oak.

Herd, bull and four females, any age, owned by one exhibitor—1, Bishop & Clarke, Victoria; 2, Quick Bros., Royal Oak; 3, Bishop & Clarke, Victoria.

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Heifer, under one year—1, Jos. Thompson, Chilliwack; 2, Jos. Thompson, Chilliwack; 3, Jos. Thompson, Chilliwack.

Champion female, any age—Diploma, A. C. Wells and Son, Sards.

Herd, bull and four females—1, A. C. Wells and Son, Sards; 2, Jos. Thompson, Chilliwack; 3, A. C. Wells and Son, Sards.

Herd, bull and three females, all under two years of age—1, Jos. Thompson, Chilliwack; 2, A. C. Wells and Son, Sards.

Herd, three animals, any age or sex, the get of one bull—1, Jos. Thompson, Chilliwack; 2, A. C. Wells and Son, Sards.

Two calves, under one year old, bred and owned by one exhibitor—1, A. C. Wells and Son, Sards; 2, Jos. Thompson, Chilliwack; 3, A. C. Wells and Son, Sards.

Three animals, any age or sex, the get of one bull, owned by one exhibitor—1, 2 and 3, James Bray, Victoria.

Class 8—Jerseys.

Bull, three years and over—1, A. H. Menzies & Son, Pender Island; 2, H. A. King, Cedar Hill; 3, G. S. Corfield, Corfield; 4, F. Robson, Mayne Island.

Bull, two years—1, Bishop & Clarke, Victoria; 2, G. I. Corfield, Corfield.

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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

A Regrettable Omission.

Sir—Yesterday evening, in conjunction with several fellow citizens, I took the trouble to don a dress suit, brave the vile elements and the vicer train service, in order to extend an act of courtesy towards the visiting mining engineers. I am now seriously asking myself what was the object of so doing?

The reception was perfect in every detail except the most essential, viz.: No arrangement whatever had been made to introduce Victorians to visitors; with the lamentable result, that we resolved ourselves into small circles of local acquaintances, and were entirely prevented from welcoming and chatting with the visitors—the very purpose for which we had taken the trouble to attend the function.

I make no apology for drawing attention to the above deplorable omission for the reception was a public affair and our reputation as a community is now forever stamped in the minds of the world. Undoubtedly, mistakes of this nature give rise to ugly rumors of cliques, aloofness and lack of genuine hospitality, in addition to depriving us of an opportunity of broadening our minds by contact with those living outside the ripple of our social life.

September 24, 1908.

Names Mentioned for Archbishopric.

Sir—In your article, under the above caption it might appear to some of your readers as if, in the Catholic church, there were something like political wire-pulling to secure a position on the list of candidates for a vacant bishopric. In justice to Father Nicolay, whose name is mentioned in your article, allow me to give you the true mode of procedure.

Whenever, through death, resignation or promotion, a vacancy occurs in an Episcopal See in Canada, the bishop of the ecclesiastical province, by direction of the Apostolic Delegate, convene to select the names of three ecclesiastics to be submitted to the Holy See to fill the vacancy.

In the case of Victoria, the authorities upon whom this duty devolved are Bishop Donnelly of New Westminster, Bishop Breynat, Vicar-Apostolic of Mackenzie and Very Rev. Bunoz, prefect apostolic of the Yukon.

They selected the names, without any outside pressure being brought to bear upon them. The time even when they assembled was not known. They did not divulge the names of the three they recommended.

If Father Nicolay's name was one of them, I am positive that it will be the first news he gets of it when he

reads your article. The good father is happy and contented to do good in his humble, quiet and unobtrusive way in Ladysmith, as he was wonted to do in the past in Victoria and Esquimalt.

J. F. VAN NEVEL.

"Youthful Rowdiness."

Sir—In Friday's Colonist was a letter headed "Youthful Rowdiness," detailing an account of the rowdiness of boys street pelting Spencer's Chinaman with filth, and signed I. S. Kennedy. The writer calls the boys "blackguards," "chavs," "where huns is allowed," etc., and says that "he cannot imagine such an uncivilized exhibition taking place in any other city except in the dirtiest slums."

Now as this letter is practically an open answer to his we will begin with his last statement first:

Unseemly conduct amongst boys is not at all confined to the slums, two-thirds of the boys in this world are brought up with the understanding that they are expected to make nuisances of themselves, and nowhere can you see this better exemplified than in the big crowds where huns is allowed, even to undermining a boy's constitution. Boys will be boys the world over, but we have no one to blame but ourselves (we mothers and fathers and good citizens) if our children are bullies. The boy is not taught that it is against the British principle of fair play to maltreat a weaker thing than himself. He is usually allowed to practice upon his little sister and the cat. The utter selfishness exhibited in so many men is the direct result of this insidious practice. In home life making him believe the world was created for his especial benefit. I have worked amongst the news-boys in this city and I know there are few better-hearted little citizens than they when once it is pointed out to them what constitutes a good citizen. They had never been taught to be proud of themselves and the niche they held in the world. They were led to understand that to seek a Chinaman was sport and manliness and when I pointed out to them that it wasn't the Chinaman they hurt but that they were undermining their own moral characters and thus their true place if they wanted to do a heroic deed and was with the Chinaman the weaker vessel—they saw my point at once.

Now, Mr. Editor, this is where I, S. Kennedy failed. He, as a good citizen, instead of holding up the boys to scorn should have put a stop to their fooling. He could have done it in two ways. He says he was in sight of the largest store and the largest hotels and the leading newspaper offices, consequently he was "cornered" as you call it. He could have telephoned to police headquarters to send a man around, or he could just have called those boys aside and told them that they were disgracing the city and as little gentlemen better things were expected of them. Had he done this in a quietly, orderly manner, the boys would have responded; had he done it with fire in his eye and shanking stick and calling them blackguards—well, I am afraid the boys would have looted and yelled. There are some but, as little gentlemen better things were expected of them. 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MORE MANIPULATION APPEARS IN MARKET

Influential Operators Are Buying Southern Pacific and Reading Stocks

New York, Sept. 24.—The recovery in prices was substantially extended today in the stock market, and the advance was much less irregular than the hesitating movement of yesterday. The market became furiously active and buoyant towards the end. Speculative sentiment was swayed almost entirely by the opinions of what was being done in the market by the influential capitalists who are credited with having the market in control. Thus the whole list ran off rapidly after an opening advance, when heavy selling appeared in the Hill stocks and St. Paul, as it was assumed that this represented a rescue of the important liquidation in these stocks which was the herald of the recent slump.

Later there appeared enormous buying orders in Union Pacific, Southern Pacific and Reading, which were ascribed to the controlling interests in the summer's advances. The purchase of many thousands of shares of these stocks by the houses which were most active all through the summer rise, gave color to the supposition that support of the market had been renewed.

The defeat of the bears was helped by the announcement from the rostrum of the expulsion of the board members of the failed Iron, A. Brown and Co., for their operations in the extraordinary market of Saturday, Aug. 22, in an effort to break prices and afford an opportunity to cover at an enormous bear profit.

A further advance in the price of copper in the London market was regarded as a possible index to the course of the stock market by the trading element.

News bearing on actual conditions affecting values showed little change, for the most part. Shares of Steel Spring rose briskly on the declaration of a dividend. It has been feared that no dividend would be declared, after the example of the American Locomotive company, to which the Steel Spring company is related.

Less was made of the political situation in the neighborhood of the stock exchange, but traders assumed that whatever the apprehensions may have been to prompt the heavy unloading of stocks through the week had been subsided.

Foreign exchange declined sharply. Favorable auguries were drawn of the money position from the sale of \$10,000,000 of New York city three months warrants on a 2 1/2 per cent. basis.

Bonds were firm. Total sales, par value, \$3,064,000. United States bonds were unchanged on call.

TECUMSEHS TO MEET CHAMPIONS IN SPRING

Toronto Lacrosse Twelve Plays Westminster For Minto Cup Next May

Toronto, Ont., Sept. 24.—It is improbable that the Tecumsehs will secure dates in reply to their challenge for the Minto cup this fall, according to Manager Querrie. It appears that Rennie and Turnbull are wanted for the Olympic team and both have refused to go if New Westminster is called upon to defend the cup. The Tecumsehs, consequently, will stop practice until early next spring and go west in May which is the only time the three or four weeks necessary to make the trip can be found.

CAPITALS EN ROUTE TO NEW WESTMINSTER

Eastern Lacrosse Team Will Reach Pacific Coast on Saturday

Ottawa, Sept. 24.—The Capital lacrosse team left on its western trip this afternoon, leaving the union station at 1:15 aboard the Transcontinental.

The party was in charge of Dave Mulligan, Geo. Bryson also going along. The Capital party included: Bousse Hutton, Billy Fagan, Donald Cameron of Cornwall, Eddie McDonald, Bobby Pringle, Jack Shea, Jack Ashfield, Art. Warwick of Toronto, Whiteley Eastwood, Bones Allen, Henry Scott, Montreal, Frank Cummings, Cornwall, Fred Taylor and Ernie Butterworth. Fourteen players were taken along but it is understood that the first twelve will comprise the team to play at New Westminster. Butterworth, who has not fully recovered from his injuries to his eye, and Taylor who is handicapped by a sore shoulder, are acting as utility men.

The Capitals go via the C. P. R. direct to New Westminster, where they will arrive Saturday night. They will play games on Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday of next week at the New Westminster fair and will then leave for home.

The N. L. U., at its meeting Saturday, threw out Cornwall's protest against the Nationals, leaving the Tecumsehs champions. The only remaining game in the east is the match between the Olympic team and a Montreal twelve in Montreal on Saturday.

HORSE SHOW FEATURES DRAW LARGE CROWD

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clean of limb, their glossy coats shining under the light, as they stepped around the ring, the six horses were applauded heartily. So pleased was Judge Spark with the outfit and the fine manner in which it was driven by W. J. Clark, at one time a Cariboo stage driver, that he gave a special prize of a \$5 whip to Mr. Clark as a slight appreciation of the latter's able trotting. The chief honor, the silver cup presented by Dix H. Ross & Co., was carried off by P. Steel, while second place was awarded to Miss W. P. Davie, of this city. The judges considered that

as a class the quality of the entries was, with the two above exceptions, hardly up to the mark. In the heavy draught single horses, S. R. O'Neal again walked off with honors, "Charles" and "Sir Thomas" capturing the first and second ribbons respectively, the third award being given to "Jim," a fine specimen of the class, exhibited by Simon Leiser and company.

Vancouver Winners
To Vancouver exhibitors went the chief honor, the silver cup presented C. N. Merritt's entry, "Redskin," gaining the blue ribbon and J. A. Russell's "Golden Crest," ridden by D. T. Tees, secured the red ribbon. Third place was captured by Robert E. Barkley, of Westholme, B.C., whose unnamed entry pressed the two others closely.

It was the jumping class which aroused the enthusiasm of the audience, but the jumps were too high to be negotiated by any of the entries but "Golden Crest," J. A. Russell's entry. The animal showed remarkable power and grace and cleared the hurdles in a manner which showed it to be easily the best jumper of its class. "Don Pedro," ridden by Mrs. Macdonald, found the barriers too high and in his jumping kicked off the bar. Mrs. Macdonald, nothing daunted went at the hurdles again but with no different result. "Summerland," Miss Smith's horse, but ridden by Mrs. Loewen, did not have any better fortune. Their mounts did not possess the strength of "Golden Crest" but doubtless on better footing they would have made a better showing. In fact Judge Spark stopped the exhibition before the required six jumps had been made by the several competitors. The horses, as they would come at the hurdle with a rush, almost invariably slid in the loose sawdust though "Golden Crest" appeared steadier on his feet but not so sure on his hind legs. The blue ribbon and the Association cup was awarded to "Golden Crest" with "Summerland" and "Don Pedro" second and third respectively.

In the single delivery horse class for the association cup, "Galena," the handsome chestnut four-year-old, exhibited by David Spencer, Ltd., captured first, but almost wholly upon its excellent conformation, its appointments not being equal to the other entries which, however, fell short on quality. "Fancy Pat," exhibited by L. D. Ross & Company, and "King," a beautiful, easy-going, well-groomed grey, exhibited by Frederick & Nelson, Seattle, took the red and white ribbons in the order named.

High Quality
The single horses in heavy harness brought out six entries, every one of them previous prize winners and all of exceptional quality and gait. The animals stepped along in a manner which showed them to be leaders in their class. "Warwick Dora," the fine chestnut mare, exhibited by W. E. Butler of Ingersoll, Ont., was unanimously determined upon by the judges as the winner. "Nelson," the Holland entry, getting second and "Madcap," another Holland entry, getting third place. The other entries, "Redskin" (C. M. Merritt, Vancouver), "Lord Grey" (Victor S. Spencer, Vancouver), "Sir Thomas" (L. D. Ross & Co., Vancouver) were also much admired and showed fine quality and motion, but failed to get a place.

The Frederick entry from Seattle took the blue ribbon in the single track horse class and got the silver cup presented by T. W. Patterson. "Hazel," a magnificent brown mare, which has won many prizes on the other side of the border, was awarded the first honors, with J. Morris' entry second and "Crossett," A. Fairfull's bay mare third.

Only two entries were shown in the military horse class, "Dodo," "St. Louis" and "Fred," the former owned by Mrs. E. Loewen of Vancouver and ridden by Captain Macdonald, and the latter owned by J. A. Russell, Vancouver, and ridden by Lieutenant Bennett. The honors went in the order named.

During the evening an exhibition of prize winning hackneys, owned by George Sangster, W. E. Butler, Christopher Moses and D. C. McGregor was given, the magnificent animals, led by grooms, being shown to great advantage. An exhibition by "Fancy Pat," the High School horse, exhibited by P. Burns and Co., of Vancouver, was also a feature, the clever manoeuvres of the intelligent animal being heartily applauded.

Probably one of the best exhibitions of riding was given by little Miss Helen Farrell, of Renton, Wash., who sat her mount with an ease of bearing and grace which drew forth hearty approbation from the judges. To her handsome grey mare Nan was awarded the blue ribbon and association cup, for Shetland ponies, second and third awards being made to the entries of G. Thorburn, Vancouver, and J. A. Graham, Victoria.

The results of the judging in the various classes are given below.

The Results
Class 140—Six-horse tally-ho, horses 14.2 hands and over, to be owned by exhibitor at the time of entry, horses to count 75 per cent; appointments 25 per cent. First prize, association cup, First, Victoria Transfer company. No other entries.

Class 144—Single trotting horse, mare or gelding, three years old and over 15.1, to be driven by amateurs, to be shown to an appropriate vehicle, wheeled vehicle, horses to count 90 per cent, appointments 10 per cent. First prize, silver cup, presented by Dix H. Ross and Company. First, unnamed entry, driven by P. Steel; second, "Don," br. g., 7 years, exhibited by Miss W. P. Davie, Victoria.

Class 154—Single draught horse to weigh 1,600 lbs. and over, mares or geldings, three years or over, to be shown to an appropriate vehicle, First prize, silver medal, presented by the Canadian Bank of Commerce. First, "Carley," exhibited by S. R. O'Neal, Vernon, B.C.; second, "Sir Thomas," exhibited by S. R. O'Neal, Vernon, B.C.; third, "Jim," exhibited by Simon Leiser & Co., Victoria.

Class 175—Saddle horses, mares or geldings, over 15.1 hands; gait required, walk, trot and canter. Conformation and quality to count 75 per cent, paces and manner 25 per cent. First prize, silver cup, presented by H. G. Wilson. First, "Redskin," b.g., 6 years, exhibited by C. N. Merritt, Vancouver; second, "Golden Crest," ch. g., exhibited by J. A. Russell, Vancouver; third, unnamed entry, exhibited by Robert E. Barkley, Westholme, B.C.

Class 170—Ponies, Shetlands, to be ridden by a boy or girl under 15 years of age, pony to count 75 per cent, riding 25 per cent. First prize, association cup, First, "Nan," grey m., 6 years, exhibited and ridden by Miss Helen Farrell, Renton, Wash.; second, "Trinkets," b.w., 8 years, exhibited by R. Thorburn, Vancouver; third, "Joe," exhibited by J. A. Graham, Victoria.

Class 182—Open jumping class, best performance over six jumps, horses to carry not less than 145 pounds, con-

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Class 137—Delivery horses, mare or gelding, must be bona fide property of exhibitor at the time of entry, horse to count 75 per cent, vehicle and appointments 25 per cent.

Class 168—Horses in heavy harness, mares or geldings, 15.2 hands and over, to be shown to an appropriate vehicle, (Victoria or brougham barred.) First prize, upholstered easy chair, presented by Weller Bros. First, "Warwick Dora," ch. m., exhibited by W. E. Butler, Ingersoll, Ont.; second, "Nelson," b. g., exhibited by W. S. Holland, Vancouver; third, "Madcap," b. m., 5 years, exhibited by W. S. Holland and H. S. Rolston, Vancouver.

Class 173—Five-gaited saddle horse, 14 hands and over, must show five distinct gaits, viz., single trot, running walk, or fox trot and canter. First prize, Association cup, First, "Fancy Pat," exhibited by P. Burns & Co., Vancouver. No other entries.

Class 151—Single track horses, mares or geldings, two years or over; trotters which have competed, or are eligible to compete in a race and not showing in roadster classes, to be shown to an appropriate vehicle. First prize, Silver Cup, presented by T. W. Patterson, First, "Hazel," br. m., 7 years, exhibited by D. E. Frederick, Seattle; second, unnamed entry, exhibited by J. Morris, Victoria; third, "Crossett," b. m., 7 years, exhibited by A. Fairfull, Victoria.

Class 183—Military stallions, mares or geldings, three years old and over, 14.2 hands high and not carrying 16 hands, suitable for military purposes to be ridden by officer in uniform. First prize, Association Cup, First, "St. Louis," b. g., 7 years, exhibited by Mrs. E. Loewen, Vancouver; second, "Fred," ch. g., 6 years, exhibited by J. A. Russell, Vancouver.

Class 157a—Horses in heavy harness, pair of high steppers, mares or geldings, 15 hands 2 inches and over, to be shown to an appropriate vehicle, horses to count 80 per cent, appointments 20 per cent. Association Cup, First, "Warwick Dora" and "Graceful," ch. ms., exhibited by W. E. Butler, Ingersoll, Ont.; second, "Nelson" and "Lord Grey," exhibited by W. S. Holland, Vancouver; third, "Galena" and "Lord Grey," exhibited by D. Spencer, Ltd., Victoria.

Class 130—Best six-horse team of draught horses, each horse to weigh 1500 lbs. and over, mares or geldings, 3 years old and over, to be shown to an appropriate vehicle, Association Cup, First, "Charles," br. m., 7 years, exhibited by S. R. O'Neal, Vernon, B.C.; second, "Sir William," exhibited by S. R. O'Neal, Vernon, B.C. No other entries.

McFARLAND ASPIRANT FOR CHAMPIONSHIP

"Packey's" Right to Meet Nelson for the Belt Supported By An Expert

An expert, writing on the pugilistic situation with respect to the lightweight championship, says: "Packey McFarland looms up as the best man to meet Battling Nelson for the lightweight championship, but he probably will have to wait some time before he will get a chance at the Dane. McFarland has cleared all the obstacles in his path to the top of his division, with the exception of Freddie Welch, but still Nelson does not regard him as capable of trying for the laurels, saying 'let him get a reputation.'"

"As far as getting a reputation is concerned, McFarland already has one. What Nelson means by his stand is a mystery to most followers of the game. They do not know of any fighters but Welch whom McFarland can meet and defeat, but put him in line for a battle with the champion. He has met all the possible aspirants for the title and there are no more for him to conquer. Therefore he looms up as the next man to meet Nelson for the lightweight championship. If the Dane turns him down continually with the excuse 'let him go and get a reputation,' there must be some other reason besides that for not wanting to meet him, the fans say.

"In regard to Welch, McFarland defeated him once in a twelve-round and later fought him a twenty-round draw in the fight McFarland declares that he had all the best of the fight

and should have been given the decision. Since it is over he is willing to forget it and meet Welch again, but the latter has side-stepped him, saying that he wishes to take a rest. McFarland does not wish to rest, as he is eager to meet and dispose of Welch, so that he will be able to clash with Nelson for the championship. He wants to demonstrate to the fans that he is Welch's master by knocking him out, as he did when he stopped Phil Brock in seven rounds.

"If Nelson desires to avoid McFarland or refuses to give him a match, he will be idle, as there is no other man in the lightweight division who is more capable of meeting him than McFarland. The latter had a chance to win the championship from Joe Gans before Nelson took it from him the first time, but he thought he was too young and inexperienced for the colored boxer and said he would wait a year and then meet him. Since that time Nelson has trimmed Gans twice and now declines to consider the local man.

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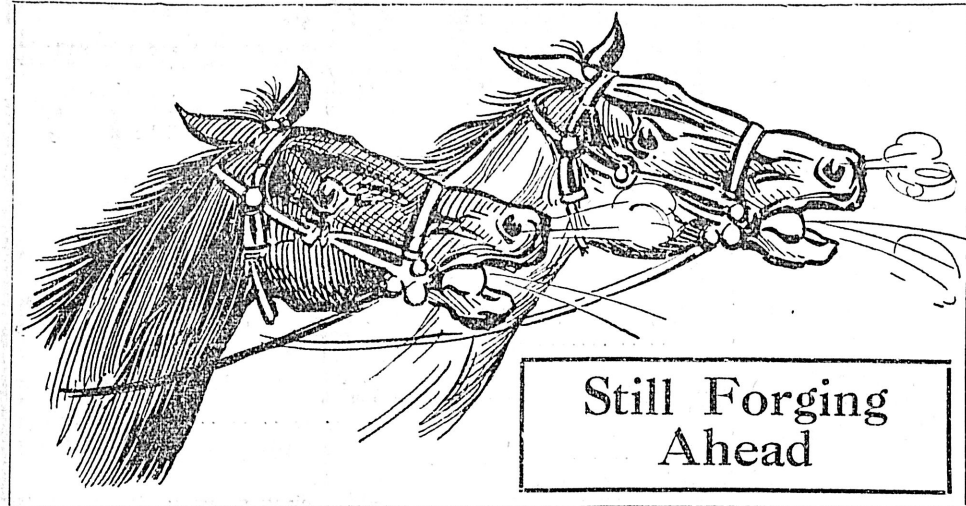
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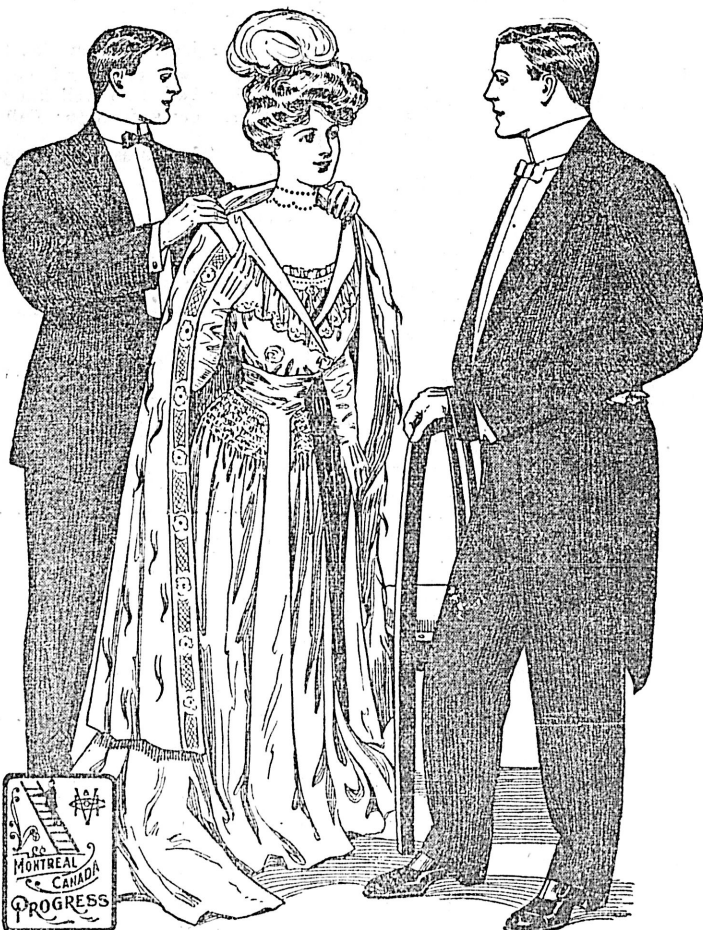


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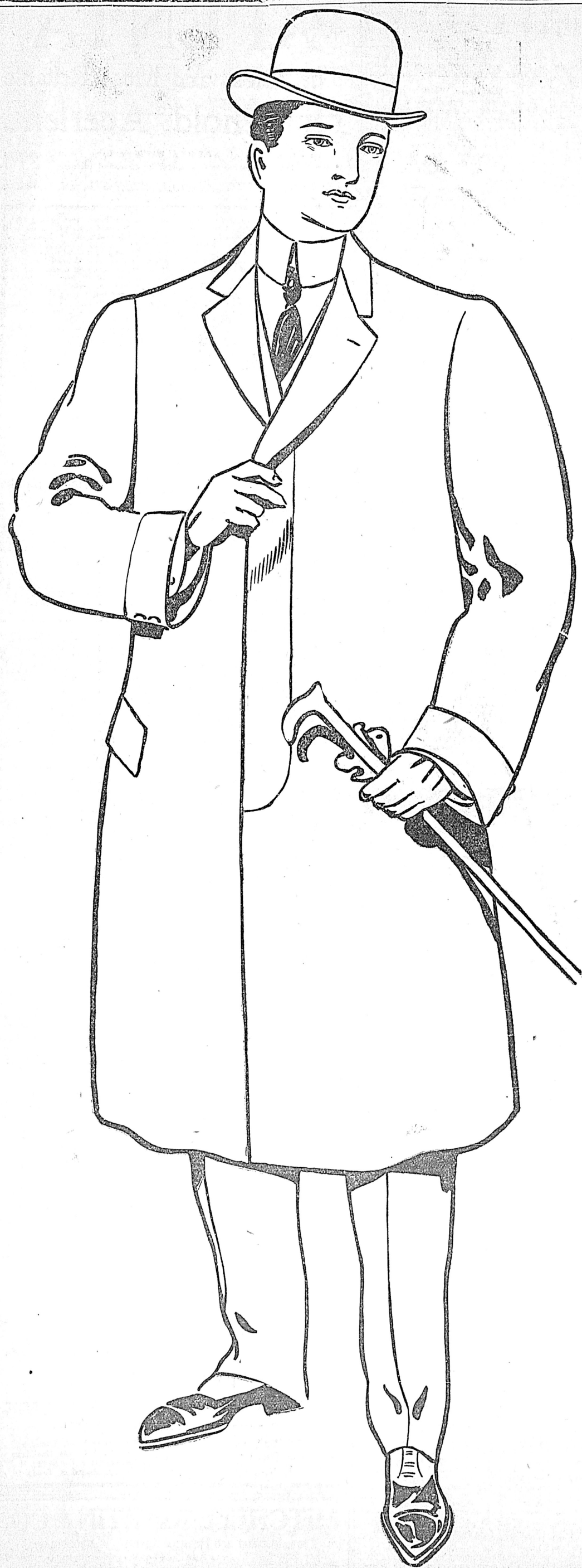
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